

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

JESSIE HOFFMAN, ET AL.

CIVIL ACTION

VERSUS

NO. 12-796-SDD-EWD

BOBBY JINDAL, GOVERNOR
OF LOUISIANA, ET AL.

ORDER

Before the Court is a Motion to Intervene, filed by James Tyler.¹ Tyler seeks to intervene in this suit pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 24(a) & (b).² Tyler asserts that counsel for Jessie Hoffman was contacted and has no objection to his intervention in this case.³ Additionally, the time period for opposing the Motion has passed and no party has submitted an opposition.

Pursuant to a prior Ruling and Order⁴ the undersigned granted Motions to Intervene filed by Todd Kelvin Wessinger,⁵ Daniel Irish⁶ and Shedran Williams⁷ under similar facts. The undersigned has also granted Motions to Intervene filed by Daniel Joseph Blank⁸ and Jarrell Neal⁹ based upon similar facts.¹⁰ For the same reasons as those set forth in the two prior Rulings and Orders,¹¹ the Motion to Intervene filed by James Tyler is **GRANTED**.¹²

¹ R. Doc. 219.

² R. Doc. 219-1 at p. 2.

³ Id. at p. 3.

⁴ R. Doc. 201.

⁵ R. Doc. 198.

⁶ R. Doc. 199.

⁷ R. Doc. 200.

⁸ R. Doc. 208.

⁹ R. Doc. 209.

¹⁰ See, R. Doc. 210.

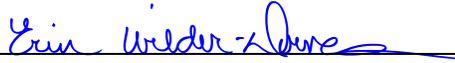
¹¹ R. Docs. 201 and 210.

¹² Magistrate judges may “hear and determine” non-dispositive pre-trial motions pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(A). “A motion to intervene is considered a non-dispositive motion.” *Johnson v. Qualawash Holdings, LLC*, Civ. A. No. 2:12CV-0885-PM-KK, 2013 WL 3050021, at *2 (W.D. La. June 17, 2013) (citing *S.E.C. v. Koironman*, Civ. An. No. 3:04CV1803L, 2006 WL 148733, at *2 (N.D. Tex. Jan. 18, 2006)). See also, *Stephens v. State Farm*

Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Intervenor's Complaint for Declaratory and Injunctive Relief, filed by James Tyler,¹³ shall be filed into the record in this matter.

Signed in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, on February 14, 2018.



ERIN WILDER-DOOMES
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

and Cas. Co., Civ. A. No. 07-2433, 2010 WL 1292719, at *3 (E.D. La. March 8, 2010) (“The portion of Road Home’s motion seeking leave to intervene is a non-dispositive matter which I may address by order.”).

¹³ R. Doc. 219-2.