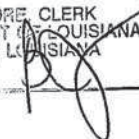


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ALEXANDRIA DIVISION

COURTLAND TATUM,

CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:12-CV-02670

Plaintiff

VERSUS

NATCHITOCHE SHERIFF'S
DEPARTMENT,
Defendant

JUDGE TOM STAGG
MAGISTRATE JUDGE JAMES D. KIRK

JUDGMENT

For the reasons contained in the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein, noting the absence of objections thereto, and concurring with the Magistrate Judge's findings under the applicable law;

IT IS ORDERED that the motion to dismiss (Doc. 14) is GRANTED and Tatum's action against the Natchitoches Sheriff's Department is DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE.

THIS ORDERED AND SIGNED in Chambers at Shreveport, Louisiana, on this 10th day of Sept., 2013.



JUDGE TOM STAGG
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE