UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

MONROE DIVISION

LASQUES (VACQUES) PRUDHOMME CIVIL ACTION NO. 17-1344

VERSUS

SHERIFF JAY RUSSELL IN HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY, ET AL.

JUDGE TERRY A. DOUGHTY

MAG. JUDGE KAREN L. HAYES

--Consolidated with—

LESLIE REED AND OTIS MCGINNIS

CIVIL ACTION NO. 17-1382

VERSUS

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS, ET AL.

JUDGMENT

The Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge having been considered, together with the written objections thereto filed with this Court, and, after a *de novo* review of the record, finding that the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation is correct, for the reasons stated in the Report and Recommendation, and for those additional reasons stated in this Court's Ruling,

IT IS ORDERED that the instant cases, Civil Action Nos. 17-1344 and 17-1382, are

hereby UNCONSOLIDATED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiff Jacques (Vacques) Prudhomme's

("Prudhomme") Motion for Sanctions, and associated request for fees [Doc. No 80] is DENIED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Prudhomme's Motion Regarding Paternity/Filiation [Doc. No. 58] is **DENIED**.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Prudhomme's

federal and state law claims against all Defendants are hereby **DISMISSED WITHOUT**

PREJUDICE, thereby closing Civil Action No. 17-1344.

MONROE, LOUISIANA, this 2nd day of January, 2019.

Terry A. Doughty United States District Judge