

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
MONROE DIVISION**

BOYD ADAMS, et al,

Plaintiffs,

v.

CANAL BARGE CO, INC., et al,

Defendants.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 6:12-CV-00348

JUDGE ROBERT G. JAMES

MAGISTRATE JUDGE KAREN L. HAYES

~~PROPOSED~~ ORDER

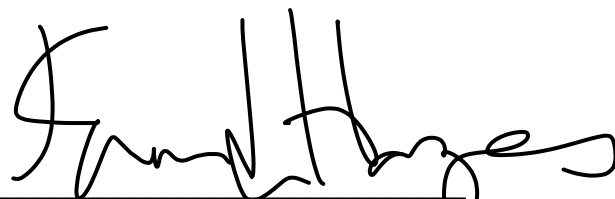
The Court, having been fully apprised that the Attorney General's designee has certified that Mitchell Bradley and Patrick Mouton were acting within the scope of their employment at the time of the incident giving rise to this suit, and the Court having been apprised of the substitution of the United States, it is hereby;

ORDERED that pursuant to the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 2679(d)(1); 46 U.S.C. § 30101(c)(1); and 46 U.S.C. § 30904, the claims set forth in the Plaintiffs' First Supplemental and Amending Complaint for Damages (ECF No. 12) are dismissed with respect to the claims against individual defendants Mitchell Bradley and Patrick Mouton, on the ground that the exclusive remedy for these claims is an action against the United States and because the United States has been substituted as the sole defendant on those claims.

It is further **ORDERED** that the caption of this action shall be amended to reflect the substitution of the United States as the sole defendant for claims arising from actions of federal employees;

SO ORDERED.

DATED: December 13, 2013



UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
KAREN L. HAYES