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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
LAFAYETTE DIVISION

BRANDON SCOTT LAVERGNE
LA. DOC #424229

CIVIL ACTION NO. 6:13-2198

SECTION P

VERSUS

JUDGE HAIK

**LESLIE TURK AND THE
INDEPENDENT GROUP**

MAGISTRATE JUDGE HILL

JUDGMENT

For the reasons stated in the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein, and after an independent review of the record, determining that the findings are correct under the applicable law, and considering the objections to the Report and Recommendation in the record;


IT IS ORDERED that Lavergne's civil rights claims be **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1915(e)(2)(B)(ii) for failure to state a claim upon which relief can be granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Lavergne's claims for money damages for publishing articles which allegedly improperly influenced the grand jury's decision to indict Lavergne for the murders of Shunick and Pate, be **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** subject to reassertion if the requirements of *Heck v. Humphrey* are met.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Lavergne's claims under Louisiana State law be **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**.

The Clerk of Court is directed to send a copy of this Judgment to the Keeper of the Three Strikes List, Tyler, Texas.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED, in Lafayette, Louisiana, on this 6th day of March, 2013.



RICHARD T. HAIK, SR.
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE