

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

ROBERT B. WILLIAMS,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 18-cv-11060

Hon. Matthew F. Leitman

v.

THOMAS O. WINN and  
TIA CLARK,

Defendants.

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**ORDER FOR APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL  
AND STAYING PROCEEDINGS**

The Court has determined that Plaintiff Robert B. Williams would benefit from the assistance of counsel in this matter. The Court will therefore attempt to obtain *pro bono* counsel for Williams.

Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that this matter is **REFERRED** to the Court's *pro bono* program for the appointment of counsel. **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that this action will be stayed for a period of 90 days while the Court attempts to obtain *pro bono* counsel for Williams. If *pro bono* counsel is not obtained within 90 days, the stay will be lifted, and Williams will proceed *pro se*.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

s/Matthew F. Leitman

MATTHEW F. LEITMAN

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dated: July 20, 2021

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document was served upon the parties and/or counsel of record on July 20, 2021, by electronic means and/or ordinary mail.

s/Holly A. Monda

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