IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI OXFORD DIVISION

**SUMMER GORMAN** 

**PLAINTIFF** 

**CASE NO: 3:16-cv-204-GHD-JMV** 

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI ET AL.

**DEFENDANTS** 

**ORDER STAYING CERTAIN PROCEEDINGS** 

State Defendants Robert Sharp, the State of Mississippi, the Mississippi Department of

Public Safety, and the Mississippi Gaming Commission have moved to dismiss all of the claims

asserted against them in the above-styled case on several bases, including, but not limited to,

sovereign immunity and lack of jurisdiction.

Under L.U.CIV.R. 16(b)(3)(B) "[f]iling a motion to compel arbitration, or a motion

asserting an immunity defense or jurisdictional defense stays the attorney conference and

disclosure requirements and all discovery, pending the court's ruling on the motion, including

any appeal."

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS ORDERED that the attorney conference, case management

conference, disclosure requirements, and merits discovery in this case are stayed, pending a

ruling on Defendants' motion to dismiss.

This, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2016.

/s/ Jane M. Virden

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE