

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI  
EASTERN DIVISION**

**RACHEL WILLIAMS, *et al.***

**PLAINTIFFS**

**v.**

**CIVIL ACTION NO. 2:16-CV-168-KS-MTP**

**KEVIN HERRINGTON, *et al.***

**DEFENDANTS**

**ORDER**

On March 30, 2017, Defendants filed a Motion to Dismiss [15] the claims of the initial Complaint [1]. On April 12, 2017, the Court granted [21] Plaintiffs' Motions to Amend [13, 18], and on April 17, 2017, Plaintiffs filed an Amended Complaint [22]. Accordingly, the initial Complaint [1] is no longer the operative pleading, and Defendants' Motion to Dismiss [15] its claims is **denied as moot**.

SO ORDERED AND ADJUDGED this 24<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2017.

s/Keith Starrett  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE