

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
EASTERN DIVISION**

REGINALD WILLIAMS, JR.,)	
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Movant,)	
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v.)	No. 4:14CV832 JCH
)	
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

This matter is before the Court on movant’s motion to vacate, set aside, or correct sentence pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255. Movant seeks relief from the judgment in United States v. Williams, 4:12CR369 JCH (E.D. Mo.). Although he was found guilty by a jury to Counts 1-5 of the indictment, movant has not yet been sentenced to a term of imprisonment. Id. As such, movant’s § 2255 motion has been prematurely filed. As a result, the Court will dismiss this action without prejudice to refile after the criminal judgment becomes final.

Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that movant’s motion to vacate, set aside, or correct sentence pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255 is **DISMISSED** without prejudice.

An Order of Dismissal will accompany this Order.

Dated this 5th day of May, 2014.

/s/Jean C. Hamilton

JEAN C. HAMILTON
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE