

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
EASTERN DIVISION

LAWRENCE M. EDWARDS,

Plaintiff,

v.

TOM VILLMER, et al.,

Defendants,

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No. 4:16-CV-1077 RLW

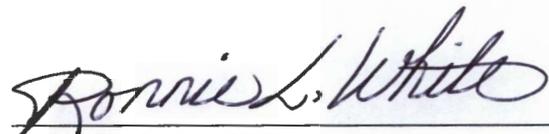
**MEMORANDUM AND ORDER**

This matter is before the Court on plaintiff’s motion to authorize discovery. The motion is denied. Discovery will be authorized when the Court finds it appropriate to enter a Case Management Order. *See* E.D. Mo. L.R. 16 - 5.01, 16 - 5.04 (discovery in prisoner cases may not take place until Court enters a Case Management Order).

Accordingly,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that plaintiff’s motion to authorize discovery [ECF No. 48] is **DENIED**.

Dated this 5<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2017.



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RONNIE L. WHITE  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE