

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

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(Enter above the full name of the
Plaintiff in this action. Include prison
registration number.) _____)
_____)
v. _____)
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(Enter above the full name of **ALL** Defend-
ant(s) in this action. Fed. R. Civ. P. 10(a)
requires that the caption of the complaint
include the names of **all** the parties. Merely
listing one party and "et al." is insufficient.
Please attach additional sheets if necessary. _____)

Case No. _____
(To be assigned by Clerk)

In what capacity are you suing the
defendants?

- ☐ Official
☐ Individual
☐ Both

PRISONER CIVIL RIGHTS COMPLAINT UNDER 42 U.S.C. § 1983

I. PLACE OF PRESENT CONFINEMENT:

II. PREVIOUS CIVIL ACTIONS:

- A. Have you brought any other civil actions in state or federal court dealing with the same facts involved in this action or otherwise relating to your confinement?

YES []

NO []

- B. If your answer to "A" is YES, describe the action(s) in the space below. If there is more than one action, you must describe the additional action(s) on a separate piece of paper, using the same format as below.

1. Parties to previous civil action:

Plaintiff: _____

Defendant(s): _____

2. Court where filed: _____

3. Docket or case number: _____

4. Name of Judge: _____

5. Basic claim made: _____

6. Present disposition (Is the case still pending? Is it closed? If closed, was it appealed?):

III. GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES:

- A. Is there a prisoner grievance procedure at the institution in which you are incarcerated?

YES [] NO []

- B. Have you presented this grievance system the facts which are at issue in this complaint?

YES [] NO []

C. If your answer to "B" is YES, what steps did you take: _____

D. If your answer to "B" is NO, explain why you have not used the grievance system:

IV. PARTIES TO THIS ACTION:

A. Plaintiff

1. Name of Plaintiff: _____

2. Plaintiff's address: _____

3. Registration number: _____

B. Defendant(s)

1. Name of Defendant: _____

2. Defendant's address: _____

3. Defendant's employer and job title: _____

4. Additional Defendant(s) and address(es): _____

V. COUNSEL

A. Do you have an attorney to represent you in this action?

YES []

NO []

B. If your answer to "A" is NO, have you made an effort to contact an attorney to represent you in this matter?

YES []

NO []

C. If your answer to "B" is YES, state the name(s) and address(es) of the attorneys you contacted and the results of those efforts:

D. If your answer to "B" is NO, explain why you have not made such efforts:

E. Have you previously been represented by counsel in a civil action in this Court?

YES []

NO []

F. If your answer to "E" is YES, state the attorney's name and address:

[illegible]

VII. RELIEF

State briefly and exactly what you want the Court to do for you. Do not make legal arguments. (Note: If you are a **state** prisoner and you seek from this Court relief that affects the length or duration of your imprisonment, your case **must** be filed on a § 2254 form.)

VIII. MONEY DAMAGES:

A) Do you claim either actual or punitive monetary damages for the acts alleged in this complaint?

YES ☐ NO ☐

B) If your answer to "A" is YES, state below the amount claimed and the reason or reasons you believe you are entitled to recover such money damages:

IX. Do you claim that the wrongs alleged in the complaint are continuing to occur at the present time?

YES [] NO []

Signature of attorney or pro se Plaintiff

Date