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

ROBERT L. WHITTAKER,	)
Plaintiff,	) )
v.	)
DALE GLASS, et al.,	)
Defendants.	)

No. 4:21-CV-549 SRW

## **OPINION, MEMORANDUM AND ORDER**

This matter is before the Court on plaintiff's motion for copies of documents filed in this action.<sup>1</sup> Plaintiff seeks:

A copy of any and all filed petitions, motions, requests and court rulings and orders related thereto as the date(s) are from 3/3/2022 through 6/22/2022 which this record is important to my motion and appeal.

Plaintiff was provided one file-stamped copy of each of the Court's Orders, at the time each Order was entered. The Court does not provide a second set of documents for free. The Clerk's Office will make copies of documents filed in this action at the rate of fifty cents (\$.50) per page, prepaid.

Furthermore, it was plaintiff's responsibility to have kept a copy of each of his own documents that he filed with the Court. The Court is not responsible for providing a copy of those filings for plaintiff, for free. If plaintiff wished to have a file-stamp copy of his pleadings and motions, he was responsible for sending two copies of each of his pleadings and/or motions to the Court, along with a self-addressed stamped envelope. This would have allowed the Clerk to return a file-stamped copy of each document to plaintiff.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Plaintiff paid the full filing fee in this action and is not proceeding in forma pauperis, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915, as he has accumulated three strikes pursuant to § 1915(g).

Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that plaintiff's motion for copies of documents [ECF No.

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Dated this <u>14<sup>th</sup></u> day of July, 2022.

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HENRY EDWARD AUTREY UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE