

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
NORTHER DIVISION
No. 2:12-CV-60-D

JAMES F. PETERSON,)
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 Plaintiff,)
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 v.)
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 RODNEY MIDGETT, former Sheriff)
 of Dare County, et al.,)
)
 Defendants.)

ORDER

On November 20, 2014, defendants filed a 23-page reply brief without prior court approval [D.E. 104]. The reply brief violates this court's local rules. See Local Civil Rule 7.2(e). The court STRIKES the reply brief, DENIES defendants' motion for leave to exceed the page limit [D.E. 107], and DISMISSES plaintiffs' motion to strike [D.E. 105] as moot. Defendants shall file a reply brief no longer than ten pages by December 10, 2014.

SO ORDERED. This 4 day of December 2014.



JAMES C. DEVER III
Chief United States District Judge