

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

KIRK MATTHEW SCHULTZ,	)	CASE NO. 1:11 CV 1046
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Plaintiff,	)	JUDGE DONALD C. NUGENT
	)	
v.	)	
	)	
NATIONWIDE MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE	)	<u>MEMORANDUM OF OPINION</u>
COMPANY, et al.,	)	<u>AND ORDER</u>
	)	
Defendants.	)	

On May 23, 2011, plaintiff *pro se* Kirk Matthew Schultz filed this action against Nationwide Mutual Fire Insurance and a plethora of additional defendants. Plaintiff has also filed a Motion to Seal Case.

Principles requiring generous construction of *pro se* pleadings are not without limits. *Beaudett v. City of Hampton*, 775 F.2d 1274, 1277 (4th Cir. 1985). Given the most liberal construction, the complaint does not contain allegations remotely suggesting plaintiff might have a valid federal claim, or setting forth a reasonable basis for jurisdiction. This action is therefore appropriately subject to summary dismissal. *Apple v. Glenn*, 183 F.3d 477 (6th Cir. 1999); *see Hagans v. Lavine*, 415 U.S. 528, 536-37 (1974)(citing numerous Supreme Court cases for the proposition that attenuated or unsubstantial claims divest the district court of jurisdiction); *In re Bendectin Litig.*, 857 F.2d 290, 300 (6th Cir.1988)(recognizing that federal question jurisdiction is *divested* by unsubstantial claims).

Accordingly, the Motion to Seal is denied and this action is dismissed .

IT IS SO ORDERED.

  
DONALD C. NUGENT  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE