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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

Robert F. Starnes, Jr.,

Plaintiff,

V.

Case No. 2:14-cv-1699

T. Austin Stout, et al.,

Judge Michael H. Watson

Defendants.

<u>ORDER</u>

On September 11, 2015, Magistrate Judge Kemp issued a report and recommendation ("R&R") recommending the Court grant two pending motions to dismiss, ECF Nos. 12 & 13, in this prisoner civil rights case. R&R, ECF No. 20. Magistrate Judge Kemp recommended concluding that Plaintiff's claims brought pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983 are barred by the statute of limitations and that Plaintiff's remaining claims are subject to dismissal for other various reasons.

The R&R notified the parties of their right to file objections to the R&R pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 72(b). R&R 13, ECF No. 20. The R&R further specifically advised the parties that the failure to object within fourteen days would result in a waiver of the right to de novo review by the District Judge and the right to appeal the decision of the District Judge adopting the R&R. *Id.* The deadline for filing such objections has passed, and no objections were filed. It appears, however, that Plaintiff failed to inform the Clerk's Office of his change in custody. *See A Guide For Pro Se Civil*

Litigants 14 ("[I]f your address or phone number changes, you must promptly notify the Court, in writing, of your new contact information. If you fail to keep the Court informed of your current address/telephone number, your case may be dismissed for lack of prosecution.") (emphasis in original), available at http://www.ohsd.uscourts.gov/pro-se. As a result, the R&R was never served on Plaintiff and was returned as undeliverable. ECF No. 21:

Accordingly, having received no objections, the Court **ADOPTS** the R&R with the modification that Plaintiff's Complaint is dismissed **WITHOUT**PREJUDICE.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s/ Michael H. Watson
MICHAEL H. WATSON, JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT