

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

ANTONIO SANTOS VALLE,  
Plaintiff,

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CIVIL ACTION

v.

**FILED**

MAY 23 2018

KATE BARKMAN, Clerk  
By \_\_\_\_\_ Dep. Clerk

SCI DALLAS, et al.,  
Defendants.

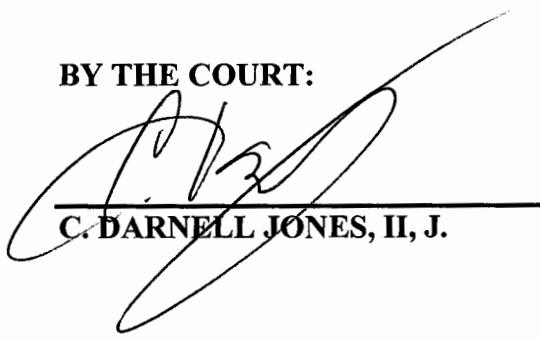
NO. 17-1792

ORDER

AND NOW, this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of ~~April~~<sup>May</sup>, 2018, upon consideration of Valle's Motion for Appointment of Pro Bono Counsel (ECF No. 12) and Motion to Amend Pursuant to F.R.C.P. Rule 15(c) (ECF No. 13), it is ORDERED that:

1. The Motion for Appointment of Pro Bono Counsel (ECF No. 12) is DENIED. *See Tabron v. Grace*, 6 F.3d 147, 155 (3d Cir. 1993) (in determining whether appointment of counsel is appropriate, the Court should first determine whether plaintiff's lawsuit has a legal basis).
2. The Motion to Amend Pursuant to F.R.C.P. Rule 15(c) (ECF No. 13) is DENIED for the reasons set forth in the Court's Memorandum.
3. This case shall remain CLOSED.

BY THE COURT:



C. DARNELL JONES, II, J.