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

DERRICK FOSTER,

Plaintiff,

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CHARLES MAIORANA, et al.,

Defendants.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:CV-14-1368 (JUDGE CAPUTO) (MAGISTRATE JUDGE CARLSON)

ORDER

NOW, this 21st day of November, 2014, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that:

- (1) Magistrate Judge Carlson's Report and Recommendation (Doc. 6) is **ADOPTED in part** and **REJECTED in part**.
 - (A) Plaintiff's Motion to Proceed In Forma Pauperis (Doc. 3) is GRANTED.
 - (B) Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Injunction and Temporary Restraining Order (Doc. 2) is DENIED.
 - (C) Plaintiff's claims against Defendants Charles Maiorana, Griffiths, O'Donnell, Tony Eckenrode, Charles Entzel and Bobby L. Meeks are **TRANSFERRED** to the United States District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania, and severed from the claims against Defendant Fink.
 - (D) Plaintiff's claims against Defendants Darlene Parker, Fegley, McKee and Monica
 A. Recktenwald are **DISMISSED** as barred by the Statute of Limitations.
 - (E) Plaintiff's claim against Defendant Fink based on Fink's attempt to block Plaintiff's transfer for retaliatory reasons is **DISMISSED**. The remainder of Plaintiff's claims against Defendant Fink are permitted to proceed.
 - (F) Plaintiff's claims that are dismissed are **DISMISSED without prejudice** with leave to amend his complaint. If Plaintiff does not amend his complaint within thirty (30) days, these claims will be **DISMISSED with prejudice**.
- (2) The Motion to Appoint Counsel (Doc. 9) is **DENIED without prejudice**.
- (3) The Motion for Leave to Proceed *in forma pauperis* (Doc. 10) is **DENIED** as duplicative.
- (4) The matter is **RECOMMITTED** to Magistrate Judge Carlson for further proceedings.

<u>/s/ A. Richard Caputo</u> A. Richard Caputo United States District Judge