UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE at CHATTANOOGA

| MATTHEW E. WATSON, III, | |
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| Plaintiff, | |
| V. | |
| VERIZON WIRELESS, | |
| Defendant. | |
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Case No. 1:12-cv-71

Judge Mattice Magistrate Judge Lee

<u>ORDER</u>

Before the Court is United States Magistrate Judge Susan K. Lee's Report and Recommendation ("R&R") (Doc. 5) concerning Plaintiff's Application to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* (Doc. 1). Plaintiff has not timely objected to the Magistrate's R&R, despite being specifically advised that he had 14 days in which to do so. (Doc. 5 at 2 n.2); *see* 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b).

The Court hereby **ACCEPTS** and **ADOPTS** Magistrate Judge Lee's well-reasoned Report and Recommendation (Doc. 5). Plaintiff's Application to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* (Doc. 1) is **DENIED**. However, Plaintiff is **PERMITTED** to pay the civil filing fee in 10 monthly installments of \$35.00 each. Plaintiff's Complaint shall be deemed filed upon receipt of the first such installment, and Plaintiff shall provide for service of the Complaint at his own expense.

SO ORDERED this 30th day of July, 2012.

/s/Harry S. Mattice, Jr. HARRY S. MATTICE, JR. UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE