## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE AT KNOXVILLE

## JAMES A. BOOKER,

Plaintiff,

v.

No.: 3:12-cv-23 (VARLAN/GUYTON)

MARY EVANS, et al.,

Defendants.

## **MEMORANDUM**

In this *pro se* prisoner's civil rights action, the plaintiff was ordered to show cause why this action should not be dismissed for failure to prosecute and to comply with the orders of this Court. [Doc. 21]. The plaintiff has failed to respond to the Court's order within the time required. Accordingly, this action will be **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** for failure to prosecute and to comply with the orders of the Court. Rule 41(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. *See Jourdan v. Jabe*, 951 F.2d 108 (6th Cir. 1991); *Carver v. Bunch*, 946 F.2d 451 (6th Cir. 1991). The Court will **CERTIFY** that any appeal from this action would not be taken in good faith and would be totally frivolous. *See* Rule 24 of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure.

## AN APPROPRIATE ORDER WILL ENTER.

<u>s/ Thomas A. Varlan</u> CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE