IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE COLUMBIA DIVISION

JAMES PICKETT,)	
Plaintiff,)))	No. 1:12-0109 Chief Judge Haynes
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SUSAN MARTIN, et al.,	<u>}</u>	
Defendants.)	

ORDER

On September 5, 2012, Plaintiff James Pickett, a state prisoner, filed a <u>pro se</u> complaint under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 against the Defendants: Susan Martin, Jason Swinea, Steven Alcorn, Joseph Patterson, and Derrick Schofield. (Docket Entry No. 1). Defendants Susan Martin, Jason Swinea, Steven Alcorn, Joseph Patterson, and Derrick Schofield moved to dismiss Plaintiff's action. (Docket Entry Nos. 32, 33, 38, and 46).

On April 18, 2013, Plaintiff filed an amended complaint against the Defendants, and added as Defendants Jim Woodard, Avril Chapman, Janice Garrett, and Debra Casteel. See <u>Drake v. City of Detroit</u>, 266 Fed. Appx. 444, 448 (6th Cir. 2008) ("[A]n amended complaint supercedes all prior complaints.").

Accordingly, the motions to dismiss filed by Susan Martin, Jason Swinea, Steven Alcorn, Joseph Patterson, and Derrick Scholfield (Docket Entry Nos. 32, 33, 38, and 46) are **DISMISSED** without prejudice to renew as to the amended complaint. The Defendants may incorporate by reference their earlier motion papers.

It is so **ORDERED**.

ENTERED this the 24° day of April, 2013.

WILLIAM J. HAYNES, JR.

Chief Judge

United States District Court