

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

ERIC WATKINS,

Plaintiff,

versus

LIEUTENANT GENTRY, *et al.*,

Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:11-CV-377

**MEMORANDUM ORDER ADOPTING THE MAGISTRATE
JUDGE’S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION**

Plaintiff Eric Watkins, proceeding *pro se* and *in forma pauperis*, brought the above-styled lawsuit against prison officials.

The court referred this matter to the Honorable Keith F. Giblin, United States Magistrate Judge, at Beaumont, Texas, for consideration pursuant to applicable laws and orders of this court. The Magistrate Judge recommends the defendants’ motion to dismiss be granted and this action be dismissed.

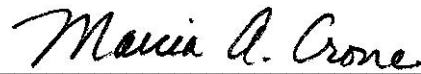
The court has received and considered the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge filed pursuant to such referral, along with the record, pleadings and all available evidence. No objections to the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge were filed by the parties.

ORDER

Accordingly, the findings of fact and conclusions of law of the Magistrate Judge are correct, and the report of the Magistrate Judge is **ADOPTED**. The defendants’ motion to dismiss

is **GRANTED**. A final judgment will be entered in this case in accordance with the Magistrate Judge's recommendation.

SIGNED at Beaumont, Texas, this 1st day of March, 2018.

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MARCIA A. CRONE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE