

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
Richmond Division**

DAVID WASHINGTON,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
v.)	Civil Action No. 3:20CV319-HEH
)	
MS. SADLER, <i>et al.</i> ,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

**MEMORANDUM OPINION
(Dismissing Action Without Prejudice)**

Plaintiff requested leave to proceed *in forma pauperis*. By Memorandum Order entered on August 31, 2020, the Court directed Plaintiff to pay an initial partial filing fee of \$15.22 or state under penalty of perjury that he did not have sufficient assets to pay such a fee within eleven (11) days of the date of entry thereof. *See* 28 U.S.C.

§ 1915(b)(1). Plaintiff has neither paid the initial partial filing fee nor averred that he cannot pay such a fee. Therefore, Plaintiff is not entitled to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

Plaintiff's disregard of the Court's directives warrants dismissal of the action.

Accordingly, the action will be dismissed without prejudice.

An appropriate Order shall accompany this Memorandum Opinion.



/s/

HENRY E. HUDSON
SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Date: Oct. 27, 2020
Richmond, Virginia