



His mere speculation that a mailroom official might read and pass on information to another officer to be used against Doane in this lawsuit somehow is merely speculative. The mere possibility of harm is not sufficient to warrant the extraordinary relief he seeks.

Moreover, Doane offers no indication that he has exhausted his available administrative remedies as to his current allegations of mail interference. Until he does so, he is barred from bringing these claims in a civil action in this court. See 42 U.S.C. § 1997e(a). Finally, even if Doane might state § 1983 claims against someone, related to the mail practice he challenges here, any such claim is not properly joined with the claims going to trial in this action. See Fed. R. Civ. P. 20.

For the stated reasons, the court denies Doane's motion for preliminary injunction. An appropriate order will enter this day. The clerk is directed to send copies of this memorandum opinion and accompanying order to plaintiff and to defendants' counsel.

ENTER: This 26<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2015.



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Chief United States District Judge