

STATE OF LOUISIANA
COURT OF APPEAL, FIRST CIRCUIT

TONY CORMIER

NO. 2016 CW 1166

VERSUS

DR. RAMAN SINGH, DR. PREETY
SINGH, DR. JONATHAN
ROUNDTREE, ETHICON (JOHNSON
& JOHNSON)

DEC 01 2016


In Re: Tony Cormier, applying for supervisory writs, 18th
Judicial District Court, Parish of Iberville, No.
075839.

BEFORE: HIGGINBOTHAM, THERIOT AND CHUTZ, JJ.

WRIT DENIED. A prisoner's right to sue for civil damages does not involve fundamental constitutional rights and thus access to courts may be restricted if there is a rational basis for restriction. The automatic stay provision provided in La. R.S. 15:1186(B)(2)(a) does not violate relator's constitutional rights based on the allegations contained in his writ application, and the stay originally imposed should remain in effect. See Warren v. Easter, 2005-0441 (La. App. 1st Cir. 9/23/05), 914 So.2d 586, 588.

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