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**U.S. District Court
Southern District of Indiana (Indianapolis)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:23-cv-01632-JPH-TAB**

FARRIS v. REAGLE et al
Assigned to: Judge James Patrick Hanlon
Referred to: Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker
Cause: 42:1983 Prisoner Civil Rights

Date Filed: 09/11/2023
Jury Demand: Both
Nature of Suit: 555 Prisoner Petitions -
Prison Condition
Jurisdiction: Federal Question

Plaintiff

JOHN D. FARRIS

represented by **JOHN D. FARRIS**
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PENDLETON - CF
PENDLETON CORRECTIONAL
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V.

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
09/11/2023	1	CONSENT to Prisoner E-Service by JOHN FARRIS D located at PENDLETON CF. Pursuant to General Order 2013-1, documents submitted by JOHN FARRIS D to the court for filing will generate a Notice of Electronic Filing that will constitute official service upon registered users of CM/ECF. If any parties to the case are not registered CM/ECF users, the Clerk of the Court will mail the document via U.S. Postal Service on behalf of the inmate. NOTE: The E-Filing Program does not affect the obligation of other parties to serve copies of documents in accordance with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. (DJH) (Entered: 09/11/2023)
09/11/2023	2	COMPLAINT against DENNIS REAGLE, CHRISTINA REAGLR, filed by JOHN FARRIS D. (No fee paid with this filing) (Attachments: # 1 Exhibits including grievance records, grievance appeal records, tort claim records, letters, requests, authorization form, and Law Library Pass List)(DJH) (Entered: 09/11/2023)
09/11/2023	3	MOTION for Leave to Proceed in forma pauperis, filed by Plaintiff JOHN FARRIS D. (Attachments: # 1 Certificate of Prisoner Account)(DJH) (Entered: 09/11/2023)
09/11/2023	4	NOTICE Of Tort Claim filed by Plaintiff, JOHN FARRIS D. (DJH) (Entered: 09/11/2023)
09/11/2023	5	MAGISTRATE JUDGE's NOTICE of Availability to Exercise Jurisdiction issued. (DJH) (Entered: 09/11/2023)
09/11/2023	6	Notice to File Rule 7.1 Disclosure Statement. (RAGS) (DJH) (Entered: 09/11/2023)
09/12/2023	7	NOTICE to Pro se Litigant - The following information is provided to pro se litigants to inform them about rules and procedures governing how they communicate with the Court. (JRT) (Entered: 09/12/2023)
09/13/2023	8	ORDER granting Plaintiff's 3 Motion for Leave to Proceed in forma pauperis - Although the plaintiff is excused from pre-paying the full filing fee, he still must pay the three hundred and fifty dollar (\$350.00) filing fee pursuant to the statutory formula set forth in 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b)(2) when able. See 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b)(1) ("the prisoner shall be required to pay the full amount of a filing fee."). The assessment of even an initial partial filing fee is waived because the plaintiff has no assets and no means by which to pay a partial filing fee. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b)(4). Accordingly, no initial partial filing fee is due at this time. Signed by Judge James Patrick Hanlon on 9/13/2023. (SWM) (Entered: 09/13/2023)
09/18/2023	9	MOTION to Appoint Counsel, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (Attachments: # 1 Letter, # 2 Existing Prisoner ES Consent) (JSR) (Entered: 09/18/2023)
09/18/2023	10	CONSENT to Jurisdiction to US Magistrate Judge by JOHN D. FARRIS. (JSR) (Entered: 09/18/2023)
09/22/2023	11	Documents in Support of 9 MOTION to Appoint Counsel, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (Attachments: # 1 Previously filed eConsent Form)(JRB) (Entered: 09/25/2023)
11/17/2023	12	ORDER DISMISSING COMPLAINT AND DIRECTING FILING OF AMENDED COMPLAINT: The plaintiff shall have through December 15, 2023, to file an amended complaint. If the plaintiff files an amended complaint, it will be screened pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915A(b). If no amended complaint is filed, this action will be dismissed

		without further notice or opportunity to show cause. Finally, the Court notes that Mr. Farris appears to ask in the body of the complaint that the attorney general appoint him counsel and that the Court "send someone to see and talk to him in person." Dkt. 2 at 3. But the Court has no capacity or authority to direct someone to interview to him or otherwise investigate his claims. See Order. Signed by Judge James Patrick Hanlon on 11/17/2023. (Attachments: # 1 Blank Complaint form)(LF) (Entered: 11/20/2023)
11/21/2023	13	ORDER denying 9 Motion for Assistance with Recruiting Counsel Without Prejudice - The clerk is directed to send Plaintiff a motion for assistance recruiting counsel form, which he must use if he chooses to renew his motion. The Court will remain alert to changes in circumstances that may warrant reconsideration of the motion, such as a settlement conference or trial. SEE ORDER. Signed by Judge James Patrick Hanlon on 11/21/2023. (Attachments: # 1 Motion to Appoint Counsel Form) (JRB) (Entered: 11/21/2023)
11/30/2023	14	MOTION for Assistance with Recruiting Counsel, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit)(JRB) (Entered: 11/30/2023)
01/04/2024	15	ORDER DENYING WITHOUT PREJUDICE MOTION FOR ASSISTANCE WITH RECRUITING COUNSEL - Plaintiff will have a further opportunity, through January 31, 2024, to file an amended complaint. Plaintiff's motion for assistance recruiting counsel, dkt. 14 , is denied without prejudice. The Court will remain alert to changes in circumstances that may warrant reconsideration of the motion, such as a settlement conference or trial. See Order for details. Signed by Judge James Patrick Hanlon on 1/4/2024. (LBT) (Entered: 01/04/2024)
01/19/2024	16	MOTION to Appoint Counsel, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (AAS) (Entered: 01/19/2024)
01/19/2024	17	AMENDED COMPLAINT against DENNIS REAGLE, CHRISTINA REAGLR, filed by JOHN D. FARRIS. (Attachments: # 1 Submission of Existing E-Consent)(AAS) (Entered: 01/19/2024)
01/22/2024	18	Letter to the Court from Plaintiff. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibits - Various Documents) (SWM) (Entered: 01/23/2024)
03/28/2024	19	ORDER SCREENING AMENDED COMPLAINT AND DIRECTING FURTHER PROCEEDINGS - Applying the screening standard to the factual allegations in the complaint certain claims are dismissed while other claims shall proceed as submitted. Mr. Farris has not alleged that Christina Reagle participated in the acts at issue and the claims against her are dismissed. Mr. Farris has sufficiently pleaded that he has been denied religious services. This claim shall proceed against Dennis Reagle as a claim that Warden Reagle violated his First Amendment rights in his individual capacity. The plaintiff believes that additional claims were alleged in the complaint, but not identified by the Court, he shall have through April 26, 2024, in which to identify those claims. The clerk is directed to terminate Christina Reagle as a defendant on the docket. The clerk is directed pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(c)(3) to issue process to defendant Dennis Reagle in the manner specified by Rule 4(d). Process shall consist of the amended complaint, dkt 17 , applicable forms (Notice of Lawsuit and Request for Waiver of Service of Summons and Waiver of Service of Summons), and this Order. The clerk is directed to serve the Indiana Department of Correction employees electronically. (See Order.) Copies distributed pursuant to distribution list. Signed by Judge James Patrick Hanlon on 03/28/2024. (AJG) (Entered: 03/29/2024)
03/29/2024	20	NOTICE of Lawsuit & Waiver Issued by Clerk upon, Dennis Reagle. (AJG) (Entered: 03/29/2024)

04/05/2024	21	Documents to be Sent via Electronic Notice - re 19 Order, 20 NOTICE of Lawsuit & Waiver Issued by Clerk, 17 Amended Complaint Electronic Notice to IDOC. (KAA) (Entered: 04/05/2024)
04/09/2024	22	ORDER DENYING WITHOUT PREJUDICE MOTION FOR ASSISTANCE WITH RECRUITING COUNSEL - Plaintiff's renewed motion for assistance recruiting counsel, dkt. [16], is DENIED WITHOUT PREJUDICE. The Court will remain alert to changes in circumstances that may warrant reconsideration of the motion, such as a settlement conference or trial. See Order for additional information. Signed by Judge James Patrick Hanlon on 4/9/2024. (SWM) (Entered: 04/09/2024)
04/10/2024	23	NOTICE of Appearance by Gustavo Angel Jimenez on behalf of Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Jimenez, Gustavo) (Entered: 04/10/2024)
04/10/2024	24	WAIVER OF SERVICE Returned Executed, filed by DENNIS REAGLE. DENNIS REAGLE waiver sent on 3/29/2024. (Jimenez, Gustavo) (Entered: 04/10/2024)
04/10/2024	25	MOTION to Respond to Court's Ruling, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (Attachments: # 1 Resubmission of E-Consent Form)(TPS) (Entered: 04/11/2024)
04/16/2024	26	NOTICE of Appearance by Hannah Lynette Hulsey on behalf of Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Hulsey, Hannah) (Entered: 04/16/2024)
04/24/2024	27	RESPONSE in Opposition re 25 MOTION to Respond to Courts Ruling, filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Jimenez, Gustavo) (Entered: 04/24/2024)
05/28/2024	28	<i>Defendant's</i> ANSWER to 17 Amended Complaint , filed by DENNIS REAGLE.(Jimenez, Gustavo) (Entered: 05/28/2024)
06/03/2024	29	ORDER SETTING PRETRIAL SCHEDULE AND DISCUSSING DISCOVERY IN PRISONER LITIGATION - This Order sets the schedule for how this action shall proceed. Part I sets forth the pretrial deadlines. Part II discusses various aspects of discovery. Facilitating the discovery process can be difficult, and this Order is issued in an effort to help explain and streamline the process for the parties. The parties should carefully read this Order. *SEE ORDER FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION*. Dispositive Motions due by 1/3/2025. Discovery due by 12/3/2024. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 06/03/2024. (AJG) (Entered: 06/04/2024)
06/07/2024	30	MOTION to Respond to Court Ruling, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (LF) (Entered: 06/11/2024)
07/11/2024	31	ORDER GRANTING MOTIONS TO RESPOND - Mr. Farris's motions to respond to the Court's screening order, dkt. 25 , and dkt. 30 , are GRANTED. Warden Reagle shall have twenty-one days to file an amended answer which addresses this claim and the currently-proceeding claim that Mr. Farris has been denied religious services. SEE ORDER. Signed by Judge James Patrick Hanlon on 07/11/2024. (AAS) (Entered: 07/12/2024)
07/31/2024	32	NOTICE of Appearance by Allison Mauk on behalf of Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Mauk, Allison) (Entered: 07/31/2024)
07/31/2024	33	AMENDED ANSWER to 17 Amended Complaint , filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Jimenez, Gustavo) (Entered: 07/31/2024)
08/02/2024	34	NOTICE of Service of Initial Disclosures , filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Jimenez, Gustavo) (Entered: 08/02/2024)
08/07/2024	35	ORDER - Defendant Dennis Reagle has filed an amended answer addressing the claim identified in the Order of July 11, 2024. Dkt. 33 . This action shall continue to proceed as set forth in the Order Setting Pretrial Schedule and Discussing Discovery in Prisoner

		Litigation. Dkt. 29 . Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 8/7/2024.(TPS) (Entered: 08/07/2024)
08/09/2024	36	NOTICE of Substitution of Appearance by John Brayton Bignotti replacing <i>Hannah L. Hulse</i> on behalf of DENNIS REAGLE (Bignotti, John) (Entered: 08/09/2024)
08/19/2024	37	DISCOVERY Documents - Initial Disclosures Response, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit)(AAS) (Entered: 08/20/2024)
08/28/2024	38	NOTICE of Appearance by Eric Ryan Shouse on behalf of Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Shouse, Eric) (Entered: 08/28/2024)
09/04/2024	39	MOTION to Withdraw Attorney Appearance of <i>Gustavo A. Jimenez</i> , filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Jimenez, Gustavo) (Entered: 09/04/2024)
09/04/2024	40	MOTION to Withdraw Attorney Appearance of <i>John Bignotti</i> , filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Bignotti, John) (Entered: 09/04/2024)
09/04/2024	41	MOTION to Withdraw Attorney Appearance of <i>Allison Mauk</i> , filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Mauk, Allison) (Entered: 09/04/2024)
09/06/2024	42	ORDER granting 39 Motion to Withdraw Attorney Appearance. Attorney Gustavo Angel Jimenez withdrawn. The appearance of Eric Ryan Shouse, entered on behalf of the Defendant, remains in effect. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 9/6/2024. (LBT) (Entered: 09/06/2024)
09/06/2024	43	ORDER granting 40 Motion to Withdraw Attorney Appearance. Attorney John Brayton Bignotti withdrawn. The appearance of Eric Ryan Shouse, entered on behalf of the Defendant, remains in effect. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 9/6/2024. (LBT) (Entered: 09/06/2024)
09/06/2024	44	ORDER granting 41 Motion to Withdraw Attorney Appearance. Attorney Allison Mauk withdrawn. The appearance of Eric Ryan Shouse, entered on behalf of the Defendant, remains in effect. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 9/6/2024. (LBT) (Entered: 09/06/2024)
09/17/2024	45	MOTION to Take Deposition from Plaintiff , filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order Granting Leave to Depose Plaintiff)(Shouse, Eric) (Entered: 09/17/2024)
09/23/2024	46	ORDER granting 45 Motion for Leave to Depose State Prisoner - IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants are granted leave to depose Plaintiff, John D. Farris, DOC# 995270, an inmate held in the custody of the Indiana Department of Correction at the Pendleton Correctional Facility no later than December 3, 2024, until such time as the deposition is concluded, by remote means outside the physical presence of the officer of the court/court reporter for the purposes of swearing in, if necessary, and subject to making reasonable accommodations within the Pendleton Correctional Facility. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 09/23/2024. (AAS) (Entered: 09/23/2024)
09/23/2024	47	MOTION for Leave to Depose State Witnesses, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (JSR) (Entered: 09/25/2024)
09/23/2024	62	MOTION for Leave to Depose States Staff Witnesses, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (JRB) (Entered: 12/03/2024)
10/04/2024	49	Witness List, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (KAA) (Entered: 10/08/2024)

10/04/2024	50	RESPONSE in Opposition to Defendant's Motion, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (KAA) (Entered: 10/08/2024)
10/04/2024	51	MOTION Trying to Obtain Satisfactory Result, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (KAA) (Entered: 10/08/2024)
10/04/2024	52	MOTION on IDOC Violations, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (KAA) (Entered: 10/08/2024)
10/04/2024	53	MOTION for Interrogatories, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (KAA) (Entered: 10/08/2024)
10/04/2024	54	Initial Disclosures Response, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS.(KAA) (Entered: 10/08/2024)
10/04/2024	55	Disclosures and Update on Case, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS (KAA) (Entered: 10/08/2024)
10/04/2024	56	Disclosures and Update on Case (Second), filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS (KAA) (Entered: 10/08/2024)
10/04/2024	57	Disclosures and Update on Case (Third), filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS (KAA) (Entered: 10/08/2024)
10/08/2024	48	ORDER denying 47 Motion to Take Deposition - Pending before the Court is Plaintiff's motion to depose Defendant and "all other witnesses," whom he describes as being staff members at Pendleton Correctional Facility. Dkt. 47 . As a pro se litigant, Plaintiff may depose witnesses, whether by oral examination under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 30 or by written question under Rule 31; however, Plaintiff must arrange for an officer to conduct the deposition consistent with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and pay any costs associated with the deposition. See Moore v. Cromwell, Case No. 17-cv.122-pp, 2018 WL 6602220, *4 (E.D. Wis. Dec. 17, 2018) ("[I]f the plaintiff wants to depose the defendants' witnesses, the plaintiff must make these arrangements. Most incarcerated plaintiffs can't hire and pay for a court reporter to set up a deposition. That is why they use other tools to get the information they want.") (emphasis in original). The motion does not explain what arrangements Plaintiff has made or intends to make to take and pay for such a deposition. Accordingly, the motion, dkt. 47 , is, denied without prejudice. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 10/08/2024. (AJG) (Entered: 10/08/2024)
10/24/2024	58	NOTICE <i>Regarding Settlement Conference</i> , filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE (Shouse, Eric) (Entered: 10/24/2024)
10/28/2024	59	ORDER - Plaintiff's "Motion Trying to Obtain Satisfactory Result," dkt. 51 , is denied because it does not seek any relief from the Court. To the extent that Plaintiff wishes to discuss settlement with Defendant's counsel, he should direct settlement communications to Defendants' counsel and not file them with the Court. Plaintiff's "Motion on I.D.O.C. Violation's," dkt. 52 , is also denied because it does not request any relief from the Court and is simply a list of complaints about things that have happened at his prison since he filed his complaint. Plaintiff's "Motion for Interrogatories," dkt. 53 , is granted to the extent that Defendant is directed to treat the motion as a properly served set of interrogatories directed to Defendant and respond to it within 30 days of the date of this Order. The motion is denied to the extent that Plaintiff is asking the Court to require any non-party witnesses to answer the interrogatories because interrogatories may only be served on parties. See Fed. R. Civ. P. 33. Going forward, Plaintiff should direct discovery requests directly to Defendant's counsel and not file them with the Court. See dkt. 29 at 5. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 10/28/2024. (AJG) (Entered: 10/28/2024)

11/15/2024	60	NOTICE of Response to Zoom Deposition, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS (JRB) (Entered: 11/18/2024)
11/25/2024	61	NOTICE of Appearance by Elijah B. Mollet on behalf of Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Mollet, Elijah) (Entered: 11/25/2024)
12/05/2024	63	NOTICE of Appearance by Carlton Wayne Anker on behalf of Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Anker, Carlton) (Entered: 12/05/2024)
01/02/2025	64	MOTION for Summary Judgment , filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Anker, Carlton) (Entered: 01/02/2025)
01/02/2025	65	Designation of Evidence re 64 MOTION for Summary Judgment , filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A - Affidavit of Dennis Reagle, # 2 Exhibit B - Religious Services Count Letters, # 3 Exhibit C - Grievance Documents, # 4 Exhibit D - Plaintiff's Deposition Transcript)(Anker, Carlton) (Entered: 01/02/2025)
01/02/2025	66	BRIEF/MEMORANDUM in Support re 64 MOTION for Summary Judgment , filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Anker, Carlton) (Entered: 01/02/2025)
01/02/2025	67	NOTICE <i>Regarding Right to Respond and to Submit Evidence in Opposition of Summary Judgment</i> , filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE, re 64 MOTION for Summary Judgment . (Anker, Carlton) (Entered: 01/02/2025)
01/02/2025	68	Witness List (<i>Preliminary</i>), filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Anker, Carlton) (Entered: 01/02/2025)
01/14/2025	69	MOTION for Extension of Time to File Brief, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit)(JRB) (Entered: 01/15/2025)
01/29/2025	70	MOTION for Copies, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (BAA) (Entered: 01/30/2025)
02/04/2025	71	ORDER - granting 69 Motion for Extension of Time; The deadline for Plaintiff to respond to Defendant's motion for summary judgment is enlarged to March 14, 2025. This is a significant enlargement and, as a result, Plaintiff should not anticipate that the Court will further enlarge this deadline. (marginal notation). Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 2/4/2025. (CKM) (Entered: 02/04/2025)
02/05/2025	72	MARGINAL ENTRY Regarding 70 Motion granted to the extent that, within 7 days, Defendants shall serve paper copies of ECF No. 65 -1 @ 351 through ECF 65 -4 @ 575 on Plaintiff. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 02/05/2025. (AAS) (Entered: 02/05/2025)
02/12/2025	73	NOTICE of Compliance with Dkt. 72, filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE, re 72 Order on Motion. (Anker, Carlton) (Entered: 02/12/2025)
03/07/2025	74	RESPONSE in Opposition to 64 MOTION for Summary Judgment , filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit)(JRB) (Entered: 03/07/2025)
03/10/2025	75	Amended RESPONSE in Opposition to 64 MOTION for Summary Judgment , filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (JRB) (Entered: 03/10/2025)
03/21/2025	76	REPLY in Support of Motion re 64 MOTION for Summary Judgment , filed by Defendant DENNIS REAGLE. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A - Affidavit of Katelyn McCorkle)(Anker, Carlton) (Entered: 03/21/2025)
05/30/2025	77	Correspondence REQUESTING COPY of Case Docket Sheet, filed by John Farris. (Attachments: # 1 Docket Sheet) (JRB) (Entered: 05/30/2025)

06/03/2025	78	Correspondence REQUESTING COPY of Case Document(s) re 72 Order on Motion, filed by John Farris. (Attachments: # 1 72) (JRB) (Entered: 06/03/2025)
07/22/2025	79	MOTION for Court Assistance, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit)(JRB) (Entered: 07/22/2025)
07/31/2025	80	ORDER - The plaintiff's motion for leave to depose states staff witnesses, dkt. 62 , is a duplicate of the previously-filed motion, dkt. 47 , and is denied for the same reasons that motion was denied. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 07/31/2025. (AJG) (Entered: 07/31/2025)
08/04/2025	81	Correspondence REQUESTING COPY of Case Docket Sheet, filed by John Farris. (Attachments: # 1 Docket Sheet) (JRB) (Entered: 08/04/2025)
09/08/2025	82	MOTION for Leave to File Amended Reply to the Defendants' Motion for Summary Judgment, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (JRB) (Entered: 09/08/2025)
09/08/2025	83	AFFIDAVIT by JOHN D. FARRIS. (JRB) (Entered: 09/08/2025)
10/21/2025	84	Correspondence REQUESTING COPY of Case Docket Sheet, filed by JOHN D. FARRIS. (Attachments: # 1 Docket Sheet) (JRB) (Entered: 10/21/2025)
11/04/2025	85	MOTION for Court Assistance, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (JRB) (Entered: 11/04/2025)
12/30/2025	86	Correspondence REQUESTING COPY of Case Docket Sheet, filed by JOHN D. FARRIS. (Attachments: # 1 Docket Sheet) (JRB) (Entered: 12/30/2025)
01/12/2026	87	MOTION Requesting Copies, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (JRB) (Entered: 01/12/2026)
01/14/2026	88	ORDER granting 87 Motion Requesting Copies granted to the extent that the Clerk shall send a copy of the docket sheet to Plaintiff along with this order. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 1/14/2026. (Attachments: # 1 Public Docket Sheet) (TPS) (Entered: 01/14/2026)
01/20/2026	89	ORDER granting 85 Plaintiff's Motion for Court Assistance to the extent that the Court explains as follows: SEE ORDER. The clerk is directed to send a copy of this Order to the Litigation Liaison at Plaintiff's prison at the address in the Distribution, below. The clerk is also directed to enclose a public docket sheet with Plaintiff's copy of this Order. If he has not received complete copies of any Court entries or orders, he may file a motion requesting copies of them and identifying them by docket number. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 1/20/2026. (Copy to Litigation Liaison via US Mail.) (Attachments: # 1 Public Docket Sheet) (KAA) (Entered: 01/20/2026)
03/10/2026	90	ORDER GRANTING IN PART AND DENYING IN PART DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT - Warden Reagle's motion for summary judgment, dkt. 64 , is GRANTED IN PART AND DENIED IN PART. The motion is GRANTED as to Mr. Farris's First Amendment Free Exercise claim and his access- to-the-courts claim. Mr. Farris' motion for leave to file an amended reply to the motion for summary judgment, dkt. 82 , is denied. The clerk shall amend the docket to reflect that the proper defendant is the Warden of Pendleton Correctional Facility in his official capacity. (See Order.) Signed by Judge James Patrick Hanlon on 03/10/2026. (AJG) (Entered: 03/10/2026)
03/11/2026	91	ORDER SETTING TELEPHONIC STATUS CONFERENCE - This matter is set for a telephonic status conference at 9 a.m. (Eastern Time) on April 1, 2026, before Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker. The Court will arrange Plaintiff's participation in this conference, and Defendant shall appear by counsel. The information needed by counsel of record to participate in this telephonic conference will be provided by separate notification. The

		purpose of this conference is to address case status and settlement. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 3/11/2026. (BAA) (Entered: 03/12/2026)
03/11/2026	92	ORDER to Make Inmate Available - via Telephone. Warden of PENDLETON CORRECTIONAL FACILITY ordered to make JOHN D. FARRIS # 995270 Available - via Telephone for court proceeding on 4/1/2026 at 9:00 AM EST. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 3/11/2026. (BAA) (Entered: 03/12/2026)
04/01/2026	94	MINUTE ORDER ON APRIL 1, 2026, TELEPHONIC STATUS CONFERENCE AND ORDER SETTING TELEPHONIC STATUS CONFERENCE Plaintiff appeared in person and Defendant appeared by counsel April 1, 2026, for a telephonic status conference. Discussion held regarding case status and settlement. Defendant shall serve a settlement proposal by April 22, 2026, and provide a copy to the magistrate judge at the time of service. This cause is set for a telephonic status conference at 10 a.m. (Eastern Time) on May 6, 2026. Plaintiff shall participate in person, and Defendant shall participate by counsel. The Court has arranged Plaintiff's participation in this conference. The information needed by counsel of record to participate in this telephonic conference will be provided by separate notification. The purpose of this conference is to discuss case status and settlement. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker. (DMB) (Entered: 04/01/2026)
04/01/2026	95	ORDER to Make Inmate Available - via Telephone. Warden of Pendleton Correctional Facility ordered to make JOHN D. FARRIS Available - via Telephone for court proceeding on 5/6/2026 at 10:00 A.M. (EST). Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 04/01/2026. (AJG) (Entered: 04/01/2026)
04/23/2026	96	MOTION for Court Assistance, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (SAM) (Entered: 04/24/2026)
05/06/2026	98	MINUTE ORDER ON MAY 6, 2026, TELEPHONIC STATUS CONFERENCE - Plaintiff appeared in person and Defendant appeared by counsel May 6, 2026, for a telephonic status conference. The Court explored settlement with the parties, but no settlement was reached. Plaintiff's motion for Court assistance [Filing No. 96] is denied as moot. The magistrate judge recommends the district judge set this matter for a two-day jury trial at the Court's earliest convenience. Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker. (DMB) (Entered: 05/06/2026)
05/06/2026	99	MOTION to Appoint Counsel, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (SAM) (Entered: 05/07/2026)
05/07/2026	100	ORDER - This case is past summary judgment and will be set for trial in due course. Plaintiff John Farris has filed a motion asking the Court to assist him with recruiting counsel, but that motion does not contain sufficient information about his attempts to recruit counsel on his own, his competency to litigate this case, or his agreement to the conditions of this Court's Recruited Counsel Program. Therefore, the clerk shall include a form motion for assistance with recruiting counsel with the plaintiff's copy of this Order. Before the Court can rule on his request for counsel and attempt to recruit counsel to represent him, he must fill out this form and file it in this case. He must do so by June 3, 2026. Signed by Judge James Patrick Hanlon on 5/7/2026. (Attachments: # 1 Motion for Assistance with Recruiting Counsel form) (JSR) (Entered: 05/08/2026)
05/13/2026	101	MOTION for Copies of Transcript from 5/6/2026 Teleconference, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (SAM) (Entered: 05/13/2026)
05/15/2026	102	MARGINAL ENTRY - Motion denied. 101 The April 1 and May 6, 2026, conferences were not recorded. Moreover, in the future, if Plaintiff seeks a transcript of a recorded conference, he would be required to arrange for payment of the cost of transcription.

		Signed by Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker on 5/15/2026. (See Order.) (BAA) (Entered: 05/15/2026)
06/03/2026	103	MOTION to Appoint Counsel, filed by Plaintiff JOHN D. FARRIS. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit)(RMM) (Entered: 06/04/2026)
06/04/2026	104	Letter to Apologize to Clerk and Courts from Plaintiff, John Farris. (RMM) (Entered: 06/05/2026)
06/09/2026	105	ORDER - Mr. Farris' motion for assistance with recruiting counsel, dkt. 103 , is granted to the extent that the Court will attempt to recruit counsel to represent the plaintiff for the remainder of the case. He will be notified when this step has been taken. Mr. Farris' previous motion to appoint counsel, dkt. 99 , is denied as moot. Signed by Judge James Patrick Hanlon on 6/9/2026. (AAS) (Entered: 06/09/2026)

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