Central District of Illinois

Civil cases needing Pro Bono Counsel

March 3, 2021

19-4006 Arlyce King v Kul Sood, Et Al, Plaintiff Arlyce King proceeds pro se on an Eighth Amendment claims for deliberate indifference to plaintiff's right shoulder pain and difficulty functioning. This case has survived summary judgment and is ready to be set for Final Pretrial and Trial. District Judge Colin S. Bruce would like to recruit pro bono counsel to assist plaintiff for the remainder of the case.

18-1195 Anthony Thomas v Joshua Davis, Et Al, Plaintiff Thomas is currently residing in Joliet Treatment Center has three claims: 1) an excessive force claim against defendant Davis, 2) a failure to intervene/protect claim against defendants Prentice and Wilson; and 3) a deliberate indifference to a serious medical need claim against defendants Prentice, Davis and Wilson. This case is set for Final Pretrial on Nov. 1, 2021 and Trial on Nov. 30, 2021. District Judge Colin S. Bruce would like to recruit pro bono counsel to assist plaintiff for the remainder of the case.

21-4011, Jaryan Gills v Robert Hamilton, Et Al, Plaintiff Gills has an Eighth Amendment claim arising from medical indifference to his injuries from an assault, which includes plaintiff's claim for preliminary injunction. The case is proceeding on that claim only against Defendants Hamilton and Wexford, for purposes of injunctive relief, and against Defendants Dr. Rankin, Nurse Jill, Nurse Kesha Lackey, Nurse Thaggard, and Defendant Gaza in their individual capacities. This case is in the process of service at this point.

Any attorney interested in helping as Pro Bono counsel may contact the Pro Bono Coordinator for the Central District of Illinois, Denise Koester at 217-492-4027 or denise koester@ilcd.uscourts.gov

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