

**United States District Court
Northern District of Illinois - CM/ECF LIVE, Ver 6.3.3 (Chicago)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:13-cv-01068**

Dobbey et al v. Weilding et al
Assigned to: Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr
Cause: 42:1983 Prisoner Civil Rights

Date Filed: 02/08/2013
Jury Demand: Defendant
Nature of Suit: 555 Civil Rights
(Prison Condition)
Jurisdiction: Federal Question

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02/08/2013	<u>1</u>	RECEIVED Complaint and three copies by Lester Dobbey. (Exhibits) (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Continuation of Complaint Part 1, # <u>2</u> Continuation of Complaint Part 2, # <u>3</u> Continuation of Complaint Part 3, # <u>4</u> Continuation of Complaint Part 4, # <u>5</u> Continuation of Complaint Part 5) (Envelope not postmarked.) (ph,) (rp,). (Pursuant to the March 2011 Judicial Conference Policy requiring that remote access restrictions be implemented when placing scanned versions of previously filed paper documents on the record, this document is restricted to allow public access only at the Clerk's Office public access terminals.) (Main Document 1 replaced on 9/7/2018) (jk,). Modified on 9/7/2018 (jk,). (Entered: 02/11/2013)
02/08/2013	<u>2</u>	CIVIL Cover Sheet. (ph,) (Entered: 02/11/2013)
02/08/2013	<u>3</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for leave to proceed in forma pauperis. (Exhibits) (ph,) (Entered: 02/11/2013)
02/20/2013	<u>4</u>	WRITTEN Opinion entered by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 2/20/2013: Plaintiff's motion for leave to file in forma pauperis [# <u>3</u>] is granted. The Court authorizes and orders the trust fund officer at Stateville Correctional Center to collect monthly payments from Plaintiff's trust fund account in accordance with this order. The Clerk is directed to forward a copy of this order to the Inmate Trust Office at Stateville Correctional Center. The Clerk shall issue summonses to Defendants William Weilding, Michael Studer, and Marcus Hardy, and the U.S. Marshal is directed to serve them. The Clerk shall send Plaintiff Instructions for Submitting Documents, along with a copy of this order. [

		For further details see written opinion.] Mailed notice (ph,) (Entered: 02/21/2013)
02/20/2013	<u>5</u>	COMPLAINT filed by Lester Dobbey; (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Continuation of Complaint Part 1, # <u>2</u> Continuation of Complaint Part 2, # <u>3</u> Continuation of Complaint Part 3, # <u>4</u> Continuation of Complaint Part 4, # <u>5</u> Continuation of Complaint Part 5). (ph,) (Entered: 02/21/2013)
02/20/2013	<u>6</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for attorney assistance. (kj,) (Entered: 02/22/2013)
02/20/2013	<u>7</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to certify class. (kj,) (Entered: 02/22/2013)
02/21/2013		SUMMONS Issued, three (3) originals and three (3) copies, three (3) copies of the complaint and two (2) certified copy of written opinion dated 2/20/2013 to the U.S. Marshal's Office for service as to Defendants Marcus Hardy, Michael Studer, William Weilding. (ph,) (Entered: 02/21/2013)
02/21/2013		MAILED Plaintiff Instructions for Submitting Documents, along with a copy of written opinion dated 2/20/2013. (ph,) (Entered: 02/21/2013)
02/21/2013		MAILED a copy of written opinion dated 2/20/2013 to the Inmate Trust Office at Stateville Correctional Center. (ph,) (Entered: 02/21/2013)
03/20/2013	<u>9</u>	WAIVER OF SERVICE returned executed by Lester Dobbey. Marcus Hardy waiver sent on 3/7/2013, answer due 5/6/2013. (ph,) (Entered: 03/21/2013)
03/26/2013	<u>10</u>	SUMMONS Returned Unexecuted by Lester Dobbey as to William Weilding. (ef,) (Entered: 03/29/2013)
05/07/2013	<u>11</u>	ATTORNEY Appearance for Defendants Marcus Hardy, Michael Studer, William Weilding by Agnes A Ptasznik (Ptasznik, Agnes) (Entered: 05/07/2013)
05/07/2013	<u>12</u>	MOTION by Defendants Marcus Hardy, Michael Studer, William Weilding for extension of time to file answer (Ptasznik, Agnes) (Entered: 05/07/2013)
05/07/2013	<u>13</u>	NOTICE of Motion by Agnes A Ptasznik for presentment of motion for extension of time to file answer <u>12</u> before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 5/15/2013 at 09:15 AM. (Ptasznik, Agnes) (Entered: 05/07/2013)
05/07/2013	<u>14</u>	ATTORNEY Appearance for Defendants Marcus Hardy, Michael Studer by Kevin R. Lovellette (Lovellette, Kevin) (Entered: 05/07/2013)

05/07/2013	<u>15</u>	MOTION by counsel for Defendant William Weilding to withdraw as attorney (Ptasznik, Agnes) (Entered: 05/07/2013)
05/07/2013	<u>16</u>	NOTICE of Motion by Agnes A Ptasznik for presentment of motion to withdraw as attorney <u>15</u> before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 5/15/2013 at 09:15 AM. (Ptasznik, Agnes) (Entered: 05/07/2013)
05/13/2013	<u>17</u>	MINUTE entry before Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: MOTION by Defendants Marcus Hardy, Michael Studer, William Weilding for extension of time <u>12</u> to file answer, to and including 5/28/2013, is granted.MOTION by Agnes Ptasznik,counsel for Defendant William Weilding, to withdraw as attorney <u>15</u> , is granted. Notice of Motion date of 5/15/2013 is stricken and no appearances are necessary on that date. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 05/13/2013)
05/14/2013	<u>18</u>	WAIVER OF SERVICE returned executed by Lester Dobbey. Michael Studer waiver sent on 3/7/2013, answer due 5/6/2013. (np,) (Entered: 05/17/2013)
05/28/2013	<u>19</u>	ANSWER to Complaint with Jury Demand by Marcus Hardy, Michael Studer(Lovellette, Kevin) (Entered: 05/28/2013)
05/28/2013	<u>20</u>	NOTICE by Marcus Hardy, Michael Studer re answer to complaint <u>19</u> (Lovellette, Kevin) (Entered: 05/28/2013)
07/12/2013	<u>21</u>	ORDER: Plaintiff has submitted a motion for recruitment of counsel <u>6</u> and a motion for class certification <u>7</u> . Plaintiff's motion for assistance of counsel <u>6</u> is granted. Harold V. Johnson, Brinks, Hofer, Gilson & Lione, 455 North Cityfront Plaza Drive, Suite 3600, Chicago, IL 60611-5599, is recruited to assist Plaintiff in accordance with counsel's trial bar obligations under the District Courts Local Rule 83.37 (N.D. Ill.). Plaintiff's motion for class certification <u>7</u> is denied without prejudice. Plaintiff's counsel is requested to meet with Plaintiff and review the complaint on file to determine whether counsel believes the claims raised by Plaintiff are appropriate for pursuit as a class action under FED. R. CIV. P. 23. This case is set for status on September 17, 2013 at 9:00 a.m. at which time the Court will inquire as to how counsel proposes to proceed. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 7/12/2013. Mailed notice (np,) (Entered: 07/15/2013)
07/18/2013	<u>22</u>	ATTORNEY Appearance for Plaintiff Lester Dobbey by Harold V. Johnson (Johnson, Harold) (Entered: 07/18/2013)
07/31/2013	<u>23</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to request for joinder of parties for class action (np,) (Entered: 08/02/2013)
08/05/2013	<u>24</u>	ATTORNEY Appearance for Plaintiff Lester Dobbey by Luke Austin Parsons (Parsons, Luke) (Entered: 08/05/2013)

09/17/2013	<u>25</u>	MINUTE entry before Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Status hearing held on 9/17/2013. Plaintiff is given leave to file an amended complaint by 10/17/2013. Plaintiff's pro se motion for joinder <u>23</u> is taken under advisement. Status hearing set for 11/5/2013 at 09:00 AM. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 09/17/2013)
10/07/2013	<u>26</u>	CERTIFICATE of Service <i>for Plaintiff's Notice of Subpoena</i> by Harold V. Johnson on behalf of Lester Dobbey (Johnson, Harold) (Entered: 10/07/2013)
10/17/2013	<u>27</u>	AMENDED complaint by Lester Dobbey against Lester Dobbey (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit Exhibits A - D, # <u>2</u> Exhibit Exhibits E - H, # <u>3</u> Exhibit Exhibits I - J, # <u>4</u> Exhibit Exhibit K, # <u>5</u> Exhibit Exhibits L - O)(Johnson, Harold) (Entered: 10/17/2013)
11/05/2013	<u>28</u>	MINUTE entry before Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Status hearing held on 11/5/2013. MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to request for joinder of parties for class action <u>23</u> is denied as moot. As discussed on the record, parties to file a proposed plan regarding discovery schedule and motion to certify the class by 11/19/2013. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 11/05/2013)
11/19/2013	<u>29</u>	STATUS Report <i>Jointly Filed by all Parties</i> by Marcus Hardy, Michael Studer (Lovellette, Kevin) (Entered: 11/19/2013)
11/19/2013	<u>30</u>	NOTICE by Marcus Hardy, Michael Studer re status report <u>29</u> (Lovellette, Kevin) (Entered: 11/19/2013)
11/25/2013	<u>31</u>	WITHDRAWING <i>Luke Austin Parsons</i> as counsel for Plaintiff Lester Dobbey and substituting David Michael Hanna as counsel of record (Hanna, David) (Entered: 11/25/2013)
12/12/2013	<u>32</u>	ENTER AGREED CONFIDENTIALITY ORDER. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 12/12/2013. Mailed notice(tbk,) (Entered: 12/12/2013)
12/23/2013	<u>33</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Based upon the agreed request of the Parties, the Class is granted until January 7, 2014, to file a Second Amended Complaint, and the Defendants are granted until January 28, 2014, to file a responsive pleading to the Second Amended Complaint. Nothing contained herein shall prevent the Defendants from questioning the sufficiency of the Second Amended Complaint, the adequacy of any of the class claims, or the Plaintiff Representatives personal damages claim through appropriate motions. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 12/23/2013)
01/07/2014	<u>34</u>	<i>Second</i> AMENDED complaint by Lester Dobbey against All Defendants (Hanna, David) (Entered: 01/07/2014)

01/07/2014	<u>35</u>	<i>Revised Second</i> AMENDED complaint by Lester Dobbey against All Defendants and terminating William Weilding (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A-D, # <u>2</u> Exhibit E-H, # <u>3</u> Exhibit I-J, # <u>4</u> Exhibit K, # <u>5</u> Exhibit L-O)(Hanna, David) (Entered: 01/07/2014)
01/23/2014	<u>36</u>	ORDER: Enter order granting class certification. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 1/23/2014. Mailed notice(vcf,) (Entered: 01/28/2014)
01/23/2014	<u>37</u>	ORDER granting class certification Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 1/23/2014. Mailed notice(vcf,) (Entered: 01/28/2014)
01/28/2014	<u>38</u>	MOTION by Defendants Marcus Hardy, Michael Studer for extension of time <i>to respond to the Second Amended Complaint</i> (Lovellette, Kevin) (Entered: 01/28/2014)
01/28/2014	<u>39</u>	NOTICE of Motion by Kevin R. Lovellette for presentment of extension of time <u>38</u> before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 2/4/2014 at 09:15 AM. (Lovellette, Kevin) (Entered: 01/28/2014)
02/03/2014	<u>40</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: MOTION by Defendants Marcus Hardy, Michael Studer for extension of time <u>38</u> to respond to the Second Amended Complaint, to and including 2/19/2014, is granted. Notice of Motion date of 2/4/2014 is stricken and no appearances are necessary on that date. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 02/03/2014)
02/11/2014	<u>41</u>	ENTER AMENDED ORDER GRANTING CLASS CERTIFICATION. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 2/11/2014. Mailed notice(tbk,) (Entered: 02/11/2014)
02/13/2014	<u>42</u>	LETTER from Antwan Stewart dated 2/11/14. (vcf,) (Entered: 02/18/2014)
02/21/2014	<u>43</u>	WAIVER OF SERVICE returned executed by Lester Dobbey. John Lutzinger waiver sent on 2/4/2014, answer due 4/7/2014. (Hanna, David) (Entered: 02/21/2014)
02/24/2014	<u>45</u>	WAIVER OF SERVICE returned executed by Lester Dobbey. Michael Lemke waiver sent on 2/3/2014, answer due 4/4/2014. (vcf,) (Entered: 02/28/2014)
02/27/2014	<u>44</u>	WAIVER OF SERVICE returned executed by Lester Dobbey. Michael Lemke waiver sent on 2/3/2014, answer due 4/4/2014. (Hanna, David) (Entered: 02/27/2014)
03/03/2014	<u>46</u>	ATTORNEY Appearance for Defendant Michael Lemke by Kevin R. Lovellette (Lovellette, Kevin) (Entered: 03/03/2014)

03/06/2014	47	MOTION TO DISMISS FOR FAILURE TO STATE A CLAIM (Lovellette, Kevin) (Entered: 03/06/2014)
03/06/2014	48	MEMORANDUM by Marcus Hardy, Michael Lemke, Michael Studer in support of Motion to Dismiss for Failure to State a Claim 47 (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A, # 2 Exhibit B, # 3 Exhibit C)(Lovellette, Kevin) (Entered: 03/06/2014)
03/06/2014	49	NOTICE of Motion by Kevin R. Lovellette for presentment of Motion to Dismiss for Failure to State a Claim 47 before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 3/13/2014 at 09:15 AM. (Lovellette, Kevin) (Entered: 03/06/2014)
03/13/2014	50	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Motion to Dismiss for Failure to State a Claim 47 is entered and continued generally. As discussed on the record, parties to file a 1-page status report by 3/24/2014. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 03/13/2014)
03/13/2014	51	WAIVER OF SERVICE returned executed by Lester Dobbey. James Louch waiver sent on 2/3/2014, answer due 4/4/2014. (Hanna, David) (Entered: 03/13/2014)
03/13/2014	52	WAIVER OF SERVICE returned executed by Lester Dobbey. Troy Johnson waiver sent on 2/3/2014, answer due 4/4/2014. (Hanna, David) (Entered: 03/13/2014)
03/19/2014	53	WAIVER OF SERVICE returned executed by Lester Dobbey. Marcus Hardy waiver sent on 3/10/2014, answer due 5/9/2014. (Hanna, David) (Entered: 03/19/2014)
03/22/2014	54	ATTORNEY Appearance for Defendants Troy Johnson, James Louch by Kevin R. Lovellette (Lovellette, Kevin) (Entered: 03/22/2014)
03/24/2014	55	STATUS Report <i>Jointly Filed by all Parties</i> by Lester Dobbey (Hanna, David) (Entered: 03/24/2014)
04/02/2014	56	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to substitute attorney (Grady, Sarah) (Entered: 04/02/2014)
04/02/2014	57	NOTICE of Motion by Sarah Copeland Grady for presentment of motion to substitute attorney 56 before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 4/8/2014 at 09:15 AM. (Grady, Sarah) (Entered: 04/02/2014)
04/04/2014	58	ORDER: MOTION to substitute 56 Loevy & Loevy as Plaintiff's counsel of record and withdraw Plaintiff's current counsel from the firm of Brinks, Gilson & Lione is granted. Notice of Motion date of 4/8/2014 is stricken and no appearances are necessary on that date. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 4/4/2014. Mailed notice (tg,) (Entered: 04/07/2014)

04/07/2014	59	ATTORNEY Appearance for Plaintiff Lester Dobbey by Sarah Copeland Grady (Grady, Sarah) (Entered: 04/07/2014)
04/07/2014	60	ATTORNEY Appearance for Plaintiff Lester Dobbey by Michael I Kanovitz (Kanovitz, Michael) (Entered: 04/07/2014)
04/07/2014	61	ATTORNEY Appearance for Plaintiff Lester Dobbey by Jonathan I. Loevy (Loevy, Jonathan) (Entered: 04/07/2014)
04/07/2014	62	ATTORNEY Appearance for Plaintiff Lester Dobbey by Arthur R. Loevy (Loevy, Arthur) (Entered: 04/07/2014)
04/23/2014	63	ATTORNEY Appearance for Defendants Marcus Hardy, Troy Johnson, Michael Lemke, James Louch, Michael Studer by Jessica Megan Scheller <i>Office of the Illinois Attorney General</i> (Scheller, Jessica) (Entered: 04/23/2014)
05/08/2014	64	MOTION by Respondent DeAngelo Jones for information. (vcf,) (Entered: 05/15/2014)
05/19/2014	65	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: DeAngelo Jones has filed a motion for information 64 in this putative class action case. The motion 64 is granted in part. Mr. Jones is directed to contact Attorney Michael Kanovitz, Loevy & Loevy, 312 N. May Street, Suite 100, Chicago, IL 60607, Tel: (312) 243-5900 with his requests for information, as Mr. Kanovitz is lead counsel for Plaintiff and the putative class in this matter Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 05/19/2014)
05/20/2014	66	ATTORNEY Appearance for Plaintiff Lester Dobbey by Vincenzo Field (Field, Vincenzo) (Entered: 05/20/2014)
05/29/2014	67	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Status hearing set for 6/19/2014 at 09:00 AM. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 05/29/2014)
06/17/2014	68	EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ORDER: Case referred to the Honorable Mary M. Rowland pursuant to Local Rule 72.1. Signed by Executive Committee on 6/17/2014. (vcf,) (Entered: 06/18/2014)
06/19/2014	69	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Mary M. Rowland:Discovery status set for 9/30/14 at 9:00 AM.Mailed notice (gel,) (Entered: 06/19/2014)
06/19/2014	70	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Status hearing held on 6/19/2014. Further Status hearing set for 8/14/2014 at 09:00 AM.Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 06/19/2014)
07/18/2014	71	MOTION by Respondent James Dolis to alter judgment/amend judgment of relief of judgment pursuant to Rule 59(e) or 60(b).(vcf,) (Entered: 08/04/2014)

08/12/2014	<u>73</u>	NOTICE by James Dolis of Change of Address. (vcf,) (Entered: 08/15/2014)
08/14/2014	<u>72</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Status hearing held. For reasons stated on the record, MOTION by Respondent James Dolis to alter judgment/amend <u>71</u> judgment of relief of judgment pursuant to Rule 59(e) or 60(b)is denied. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 08/14/2014)
08/29/2014	<u>74</u>	ATTORNEY Appearance for Plaintiff Lester Dobbey by Thomas Kayes (Kayes, Thomas) (Entered: 08/29/2014)
09/08/2014	<u>75</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Defendants' Motion to Dismiss for Failure to State a Claim <u>47</u> is stricken with leave to re-file. Status hearing set for 9/30/2014 at 09:00 AM. Parties to appear before Judge Dow following appearance before Magistrate Judge Rowland. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 09/08/2014)
09/29/2014	<u>76</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Mary M. Rowland: Status hearing previously set for 9/30/2014 is reset for 10/7/2014 at 09:00 AM.Mailed notice (gel,) (Entered: 09/29/2014)
09/29/2014	<u>77</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Status hearing set for 9/30/2014 is stricken and reset to 10/7/2014 at 9:00a.m. Parties to appear before Judge Dow following appearance before Magistrate Judge Rowland. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 09/29/2014)
10/06/2014	<u>80</u>	MOTION to Opt-Out of Class Action by Movant Aaron Stewart; Exhibits. (sxw) (Filer Modified by Clerk's Office on 10/28/2014) (Entered: 10/09/2014)
10/07/2014	<u>78</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Mary M. Rowland:Status hearing held on 10/7/2014 and continued to 12/17/2014 at 09:00 AM.Mailed notice (gel,) (Entered: 10/07/2014)
10/07/2014	<u>79</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Status hearing held on 10/7/2014. Further Status hearing set for 11/12/2014 at 11:15 AM. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 10/07/2014)
10/15/2014	<u>81</u>	MOTION to Opt-Out of Class Action by Movant Aaron Stewart. (sxw) (Filer Modified by Clerk's Office on 10/28/2014) (Entered: 10/21/2014)
10/22/2014	<u>85</u>	MOTION for Status by Movant Aaron Stewart. (sxw) (Filer Modified by Clerk's Office on 10/28/2014) (Entered: 10/27/2014)
10/24/2014	<u>82</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for Relief Under Rule 26(d)(1) or, in the Alternative, to Compel Defense Counsel to Attend a Rule 26(f) Conference (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A)(Kayes, Thomas) (Entered: 10/24/2014)

10/24/2014	<u>83</u>	NOTICE of Motion by Thomas Kayes for presentment of motion for miscellaneous relief <u>82</u> before Honorable Mary M. Rowland on 11/4/2014 at 09:15 AM. (Kayes, Thomas) (Entered: 10/24/2014)
10/24/2014	<u>84</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Mary M. Rowland: Motion Hearing <u>82</u> previously set for 11/4/2014 is reset for 11/7/2014 at 09:15 AM.Mailed notice (gel,) (Entered: 10/24/2014)
10/28/2014	<u>86</u>	NOTICE of Correction regarding <u>80</u> , <u>81</u> , <u>85</u> . (sxw) (Entered: 10/28/2014)
11/07/2014	<u>87</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Mary M. Rowland:Motion hearing held on 11/7/2014 regarding motion for miscellaneous relief <u>82</u> is granted. Parties are ordered to have a 26(f) conference by 11/21/2014. Status previously set for 12/17/2014 at 9:00 AM to stand. Mailed notice (gel,) (Entered: 11/07/2014)
11/10/2014	<u>88</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Status hearing date of 11/12/2014 is stricken and Status hearing reset for 12/17/2014 at 09:15 AM. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 11/10/2014)
12/01/2014	<u>89</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for leave to file <i>Third Amended Complaint</i> (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit Proposed Third Amended Complaint)(Kayes, Thomas) (Entered: 12/01/2014)
12/01/2014	<u>90</u>	NOTICE of Motion by Thomas Kayes for presentment of motion for leave to file <u>89</u> before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 12/9/2014 at 09:15 AM. (Kayes, Thomas) (Entered: 12/01/2014)
12/09/2014	<u>91</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for leave to file <u>89</u> Third Amended Complaint is entered and continued to 12/17/2014 at 9:15a.m. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 12/09/2014)
12/12/2014	<u>92</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: On the Court's own motion, the time of the 12/17/2014 status hearing and entered and continued motion to file <u>89</u> is reset to 10:45 a.m. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 12/12/2014)
12/16/2014	<u>93</u>	MOTION by counsel for Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to withdraw as attorney (Kayes, Thomas) (Entered: 12/16/2014)
12/16/2014	<u>94</u>	NOTICE of Motion by Thomas Kayes for presentment of motion to withdraw as attorney <u>93</u> before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 12/23/2014 at 09:15 AM. (Kayes, Thomas) (Entered: 12/16/2014)
12/17/2014	<u>95</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Mary M. Rowland:Status hearing held on 12/17/2014 and continued to 2/18/2015 at 09:00 AM.Mailed notice (gel,) (Entered: 12/17/2014)

12/17/2014	<u>96</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Status hearing held on 12/17/2014. MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for leave to file Third Amended Complaint <u>89</u> is continued to 1/6/2015 at 9:15a.m. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 12/17/2014)
12/17/2014	<u>97</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: MOTION by counsel Thomas Kayes to withdraw his appearance on behalf of Plaintiff Lester Dobbey <u>93</u> is granted. Notice of Motion date of 12/23/2014 is stricken and no appearances are necessary on that date. Mailed notice (tbk,) (Entered: 12/17/2014)
01/05/2015	<u>101</u>	MOTION for Status by Movant Aaron Stewart. (sxw) (Entered: 01/09/2015)
01/06/2015	<u>98</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Following up on the parties' submission of alternative proposals for the Class Action Notice, the Court will enter on the docket today the version of the Class Action Notice that is approved and can be transmitted to the class members. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 01/06/2015)
01/06/2015	<u>99</u>	CLASS NOTICE. (cdh,) (Entered: 01/06/2015)
01/06/2015	<u>100</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Plaintiff's motion for leave to file third amended complaint <u>89</u> is taken under advisement; response due 2/3/2015; reply due 2/17/2015. The Court will rule by mail and set the case for further status hearing at that time. In the meantime, the class notice process may proceed. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 01/06/2015)
01/14/2015	<u>102</u>	ORDER: Before the Court is class member Aaron Stewart's (A-71724) motions to opt-out of the class action [80, 81], and his motions for status relating to his motions to opt-out of the class action [85, 101]. For the reasons outlined below, Mr. Stewart's first-filed motion to opt-out of the class action <u>80</u> is denied, and the remainder of Mr. Stewart's pending motions [81, 85, 101] are denied as moot. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 1/14/2015. Mailed notice (sxw) (Entered: 01/15/2015)
01/15/2015		MAILED Copy of Order dated 01/14/2015 to Aaron Stewart. (sxw) (Entered: 01/15/2015)
02/06/2015	<u>103</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: At the request of the parties, a status conference is set for 2/11/2015 at 9:30 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 02/06/2015)
02/11/2015	<u>104</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Status hearing held. (cdh,) (Entered: 02/12/2015)

02/18/2015	<u>105</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Mary M. Rowland: Status hearing held on 2/18/15 and continued to 5/20/2015 at 09:00 AM Mailed notice (mb,) (Entered: 02/18/2015)
05/11/2015	<u>106</u>	MOTION to Opt out of Class by Respondent James Dolis. (sxw) (Entered: 05/14/2015)
05/20/2015	<u>107</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Mary M. Rowland: Status hearing held and continued to 6/30/15 at 9:00AM. Parties should be prepared to report whether they wish to set a settlement conference at that time. Mailed notice (mb,) (Entered: 05/20/2015)
05/21/2015	<u>108</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: At the parties joint request, a status hearing is set for 5/28/2015 at 9:30 a.m. to discuss a possible date for settlement conference. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 05/21/2015)
05/29/2015	<u>112</u>	MAIL returned for document # <u>107</u> sent to Aaron Stewart returned as undeliverable ; Return to sender. (ym,) (Entered: 06/03/2015)
06/02/2015	<u>109</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference is set for 7/1/2015 at 10:00 a.m. See Judge Dow's Standing Order Regarding Settlement Conferences located on the Court's web site http://www.ilnd.uscourts.gov Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 06/02/2015)
06/03/2015	<u>110</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Before the Court is class member James Dolis's (R-42411) motion to opt-out of the class action <u>106</u> . For the reasons outlined in the Order, Mr. Dolis's motion <u>106</u> is denied. Notice mailed by Judicial staff. (cdh,) (Entered: 06/03/2015)
06/03/2015	<u>111</u>	ORDER Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 6/3/2015. Notice mailed by Judicial staff. (cdh,) (Entered: 06/03/2015)
06/03/2015		RE-MAILED document #107 to Aaron Stewart at Stateville Correctional Center. (ym,) (Entered: 06/03/2015)
06/03/2015	<u>113</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: As discussed in open court on 5/28/2015, the parties may submit to the Court a joint statement in lieu of the Court's standard procedures regarding settlement conferences. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 06/03/2015)
06/04/2015	<u>114</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Mary M. Rowland: Status hearing set for 6/30/15 is stricken in light of the settlement discussions with Judge Dow. Mailed notice (mb,) (Entered: 06/04/2015)
06/12/2015	<u>115</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, the settlement conference set for 7/1/2015 is stricken and

		reset to 6/30/2015 at 11:00 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 06/12/2015)
06/30/2015	<u>116</u>	ORDER Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 6/30/2015. Per the parties' agreement, while settlement discussions continue, Plaintiffs' motion forleave to file a third amended complaint <u>89</u> is stricken without prejudice and with leave to refile at a later date if necessary. Settlement conference held 6/30/15. Progress was made. The Court will contact the parties by 7/7/15 with potential dates on which to resume the settlement conference. Mailed notice(cdh,) (Entered: 06/30/2015)
07/24/2015	<u>117</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, settlement conference shall resume on 10/6/2015 at 10:30 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 07/24/2015)
10/05/2015	<u>118</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: At the request of the parties, the settlement conference set for 10/6/2015 is cancelled and a new date to be determined. No appearances are necessary on 10/6/2015. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 10/05/2015)
10/06/2015	<u>119</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, a settlement conference is set for 12/2/2015 at 10:00 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 10/06/2015)
11/19/2015	<u>120</u>	OBJECTION by Aaron Stewart; Notice. (sxn,) Modified on 12/17/2015 (sxn,). (Entered: 11/23/2015)
11/23/2015	<u>121</u>	OBJECTION by Aaron Stewart; Notice. (sxn,) Modified on 12/17/2015 (sxn,). (Entered: 11/30/2015)
12/01/2015	<u>122</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: At the request of the parties, the settlement conference set for 12/2/2015 is cancelled and reset to 1/5/2016 at 2:15 p.m. No appearances are necessary on 12/2/2015. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 12/01/2015)
12/16/2015	<u>123</u>	ORDER: Before the Court are two objections by class member Aaron Stewart (A-71724) [120, 121], in which he requests medical treatment and testing related to claims of "tainted waters" at Stateville Correctional Center. As mentioned in an earlier order, this Court has no jurisdiction over Mr. Stewart's personal claims, which must be asserted in a separate lawsuit; Mr. Stewart's involvement before this Court is only as a member of the certified class. Mr. Stewart is directed to contact lead class counsel with any issues that he has regarding the adjudication of the class action of which he is amember. Lead class counsel is Michael I. Kanovitz of Loevy & Lovey, 312 N. May Street, Suite100, Chicago, IL 60607, (312) 243-5900.The Clerk is instructed to send a copy of this order to Mr. Stewart. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 12/16/2015. Mailed notice. (sxn,) (Entered: 12/17/2015)

12/17/2015		MAILED order dated 12/16/2015 to Mr. Stewart. (sxn,) (Entered: 12/17/2015)
01/05/2016	<u>124</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to 1/20/2016 at 10:00 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 01/05/2016)
01/20/2016	<u>125</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to later date. Parties are to advise the Courtroom Deputy of their preferred dates to continue discussions in February and March. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 01/20/2016)
02/29/2016	<u>126</u>	ATTORNEY Appearance for Defendants Marcus Hardy, Troy Johnson, Michael Lemke, James Louch, Michael Studer by Lyle Kevin Henretty (Henretty, Lyle) (Entered: 02/29/2016)
04/11/2016	<u>127</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for Exclusion from Class-Action; Notice. (sr,) (Entered: 04/13/2016)
04/20/2016	<u>128</u>	ORDER: Before the Court is class member Alan Hatley's (A-81444) motion to opt-out of the class action <u>127</u> . Because there is no right to opt out of a Rule 23(b)(1) or (b)(2) class action that predominantly seeks injunctive relief, Mr. Hatley's motion <u>127</u> is denied. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 4/20/2016. Mailed notice(sr,) (Entered: 04/21/2016)
04/21/2016		MAILED copy of order dated 04/20/2016 to Plaintiff Lester Dobbey (sr,) (Entered: 04/21/2016)
05/13/2016	<u>129</u>	ATTORNEY Appearance for Plaintiff Lester Dobbey by Heather Lewis Donnell (Donnell, Heather) (Entered: 05/13/2016)
05/13/2016	<u>130</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Mary M. Rowland: In light of the ongoing settlement discussions being conducted by Judge Dow, the referral in this matter is closed. Mailed notice. (dm,) (Entered: 05/16/2016)
05/17/2016	<u>131</u>	NOTICE by Jonathan I. Loevy of Change of Address (<i>Loevy & Loevy Chicago Office</i>) (Loevy, Jonathan) (Entered: 05/17/2016)
08/09/2016	<u>132</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, a further settlement conference is set for 8/22/2016 at 10:30 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 08/09/2016)
08/19/2016	<u>133</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Due to the Courts unavailability due to an on-going trial, the settlement conference scheduled for 08/22/2016 is cancelled and will be reset at a later date. The parties are directed to contact the Courtroom Deputy to schedule the new date. No appearances are necessary on 08/22/2016. Mailed notice (slb,) (Entered: 08/19/2016)

08/19/2016	<u>134</u>	MOTION by Movant Ralph Kings for joinder of claim (Exhibits). (tt,) (Entered: 08/22/2016)
09/09/2016	<u>135</u>	ORDER. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 9/9/2016. Mailed notice. (jjr,) (Entered: 09/09/2016)
09/09/2016		MAILED a copy of the 9/9/2016 Order to Mr. Ralph Kings. (jjr,) (Entered: 09/09/2016)
09/13/2016	<u>136</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, settlement conference is continued to 9/20/2016 at 10:00 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 09/13/2016)
09/20/2016	<u>137</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and progress made. Counsel will advise the Courtroom Deputy when they wish to reconvene for further discussions with the Court. Mailed notice (meg,) (Entered: 09/20/2016)
12/20/2016	<u>138</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, settlement conference is continued to 1/5/2017 at 11:30 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 12/20/2016)
01/05/2017	<u>139</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: At the request of the parties, the settlement conference set for 1/5/2017 is cancelled and a new date to be determined. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 01/05/2017)
03/27/2017	<u>140</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: At the request of the parties, status hearing is set for 4/11/2017 at 9:15 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 03/27/2017)
04/11/2017	<u>141</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Status hearing held. By agreement of the parties, settlement conference is set for 5/10/2017 at 11:00 a.m. Parties shall submit to the Court their updated position letters to Proposed_Order_Dow@ilnd.uscourts.gov by 5/8/2017. Modified on 4/11/2017. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 04/11/2017)
05/10/2017	<u>142</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held. By June 30, 2017, the parties are to provide either (1) a joint status report setting out their positions on settlement issues as discussed at today's conference or (2) a proposed discovery plan (if it does not appear that further settlement discussions would be fruitful at this time). This case is set for a further settlement conference on July 26, 2017 at 10:00 a.m., which will be converted to a status hearing if the case is on a discovery track by that time. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 05/11/2017)

08/14/2017	<u>143</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held on 7/26/17 and by agreement of the parties continued to 9/5/17 at 10:30 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 08/14/2017)
09/05/2017	<u>144</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held. Parties update the Court on progress on various issues. Parties to provide further information on specific issue as to which they seek the Court's input within the next week or two. After review of that information, the Courtroom Deputy will contact the parties to schedule another settlement conference. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 09/05/2017)
10/16/2017	<u>145</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for hearing (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A)(Grady, Sarah) (Entered: 10/16/2017)
10/16/2017	<u>146</u>	NOTICE of Motion by Sarah Copeland Grady for presentment of motion for hearing <u>145</u> before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 10/19/2017 at 09:15 AM. (Grady, Sarah) (Entered: 10/16/2017)
10/17/2017	<u>147</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: The notice of motion date of 10/18/17 is stricken and no appearances are necessary on that date. The Courtroom Deputy has emailed counsel with available dates and times. A further settlement conference to be set upon the parties responses. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 10/17/2017)
10/19/2017	<u>148</u>	MOTION by Attorney Jessica M. Scheller to withdraw as attorney for Marcus Hardy, Troy Johnson, Michael Lemke, James Louch, Michael Studer. No party information provided (Scheller, Jessica) (Entered: 10/19/2017)
10/19/2017	<u>149</u>	NOTICE of Motion by Jessica Megan Scheller for presentment of motion to withdraw as attorney <u>148</u> before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 10/24/2017 at 09:15 AM. (Scheller, Jessica) (Entered: 10/19/2017)
10/23/2017	<u>150</u>	ORDER: Motion to withdraw Jessica M. Scheller as counsel for Defendants Michael Studer, Marcus Hardy, James Lauch, Michael Lemke, and Troy Johnson <u>148</u> is granted. Notice of motion date of 10/23/17 is stricken and no appearances are necessary on that date. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 10/23/2017. Mailed notice (ags,) (Entered: 10/23/2017)
10/23/2017	<u>151</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement Conference is set for 10/27/2017 at 9:30 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 10/23/2017)
10/27/2017	<u>152</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to 11/16/17 at 1:30 p.m. Plaintiffs will file and notice up a motion for a Rule 706 expert prior to the next settlement conference date. Defendants will proceed with production of

		documents as discussed, with a schedule to be set at the next settlement conference. Plaintiffs will draft notice of progress on the case and circulate to defense counsel with the goal of having an agreed notice submitted for court approval by the end of next week. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 10/27/2017)
11/03/2017	153	WITHDRAWING <i>Lyle Henretty</i> as counsel for Defendants Marcus Hardy, Troy Johnson, Michael Lemke, James Louch, Michael Studer and substituting James Patrick Doran as counsel of record (Doran, James) (Entered: 11/03/2017)
11/13/2017	154	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to appoint expert <i>PURSUANT TO FEDERAL RULE OF EVIDENCE 706(a)</i> (Donnell, Heather) (Entered: 11/13/2017)
11/13/2017	155	NOTICE of Motion by Heather Lewis Donnell for presentment of motion to appoint expert 154 before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 11/16/2017 at 01:30 PM. (Donnell, Heather) (Entered: 11/13/2017)
11/16/2017	156	CLASS NOTICE by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr. (eaa,) (Entered: 11/16/2017)
11/16/2017	157	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to 12/21/2017 at 10:00 a.m. Parties agree to class notice to be entered on the docket and posted at Stateville. Plaintiffs' Rule 706 motion 154 is taken under advisement; Defendants to file response by 12/19/2017. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 11/16/2017)
12/19/2017	158	RESPONSE by Marcus Hardy, Troy Johnson, Michael Lemke, James Louch, Michael Studerin Opposition to MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to appoint expert <i>PURSUANT TO FEDERAL RULE OF EVIDENCE 706(a)</i> 154 (Doran, James) (Entered: 12/19/2017)
12/21/2017	159	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to 2/9/2018 at 10:30 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 12/21/2017)
12/27/2017	160	MOTION by Arthur Dent for consideration on how to proceed for damages (Envelope postmarked 12/21/17) (ew,) (Entered: 12/29/2017)
01/10/2018	162	ORDER: Upon review of the motion for reconsideration on how to proceed for damages 160 filed by Mr. Arthur Dent, the Court advises Mr. Dent that counsel for class are Ms. Heather Lewis Donnell and Ms. Sarah Copeland Grady of the Lovey & Lovey law firm, 311 N. Aberdeen Street, 3rd floor, Chicago, Il 60607. Mr. Dent should write to counsel if he would like any information about the pleadings or the current status of the case. At present, the case is an injunctive relief only class action. If Mr. Dent wishes to pursue an action for damages, he

		must file a separate lawsuit. The Clerk is requested to send a copy of this order to Mr. Arthur Dent, ID # N-98560, P.O. Box 112, Joliet, Illinois 60434.Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 1/10/2018. Mailed notice(ks,) (Entered: 01/11/2018)
01/11/2018		MAILED a copy of the 1/10/2018 order to Arthur Dent at his place of incarceration. (ks,) (Entered: 01/11/2018)
02/08/2018	<u>163</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, the settlement conference set for 2/9/2018 is cancelled and reset to 2/28/2018 at 10:30 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 02/08/2018)
02/28/2018	<u>164</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr:Settlement conference held on 2/28/2018. Order to follow. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 03/01/2018)
03/27/2018	<u>165</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: At the request of the parties, the settlement conference is reset to 4/17/2018 at 10:30 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 03/27/2018)
04/17/2018	<u>166</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to 6/4/2018 at 10:30 a.m. Counsel will make arrangements for named Plaintiff, Mr. Dobbey, to participate by telephone on that date. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 04/17/2018)
05/29/2018	<u>167</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, settlement conference is continued to 6/12/2018 at 10:30 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 05/29/2018)
05/29/2018	<u>168</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference set for 6/4/2018 is stricken. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 05/29/2018)
06/12/2018	<u>169</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held on 6/12/2018 and continued to 7/16/2018 at 9:30 a.m. The Court directs defense counsel to make the necessary arrangements for Plaintiff to participate in the hearing by telephone. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 06/12/2018)
07/16/2018	<u>170</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to 8/14/2018 at 1:30 p.m. The Court directs defense counsel to make the necessary arrangements for Plaintiff to participate in the hearing by telephone. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 07/16/2018)
08/14/2018	<u>171</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to 9/24/2018 at 10:30 a.m. Counsel for Defendant is requested to make arrangements for Mr. Dobbey to

		participate by telephone. Parties to respond to the Courtroom Deputy by 8/28/2018 regarding their views on the proposal discussed at today's conference. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 08/14/2018)
09/05/2018	172	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, settlement conference set for 9/24/2018 is reset to 10/3/2018 as 11:30 a.m. Counsel for Defendant is requested to make arrangements for Mr. Dobbey to participate by telephone. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 09/05/2018)
09/05/2018	173	ORDER: Without objection, Plaintiff's motion for appointment of an expert pursuant to Federal Rule of Evidence 706(a) 154 is granted in part. After consultation with the parties and the proposed expert, the Court appoints Bruce S. Kaskel, RA, SE, LEED AP, a principal in the firm of Wiss, Janney, Elstner Associates, Inc., to work with the Court and the parties as discussed with counsel at the most recent settlement conference. The Court has proposed that Mr. Kaskel be compensated by the District Court Fund up to the limits allowable under the Courts rules and operating procedures and will request Executive Committee approval to proceed on that basis. The complete terms of Mr. Kaskels retention by the Court will be discussed at a future status hearing and/or settlement conference and formalized in a future order. In the meantime, the Court thanks Mr. Kaskel for his willingness to serve in this capacity. This case remains set for settlement conference on 9/24/2018 at 10:30 a.m. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr. on 9/5/2018. Mailed notice (smm) (Entered: 09/05/2018)
09/06/2018	174	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, settlement conference set for 9/24/2018 is reset to 10/3/2018 as 11:30 a.m. Counsel for Defendant is requested to make arrangements for Mr. Dobbey to participate by telephone. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 09/06/2018)
09/14/2018	175	CLASS NOTICE Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr. on 9/14/2018. Mailed notice(cdh,) (Entered: 09/14/2018)
09/25/2018	176	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for appointment of new class counsel. (kp,) (Entered: 09/25/2018)
09/25/2018	177	NOTICE of Termination of Loevy & Loevy from representing class action by Lester Dobbey (Exhibits). (kp,) (Entered: 09/25/2018)
10/03/2018	178	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Motion hearing held on named Plaintiff Lester Dobbey's motion for appointment of new class counsel 176 . As discussed on the record, the parties (including class counsel) are given until October 24, 2018 to file a brief addressing their respective positions on the motion. Mr. Dobbey may request more time to file his brief if he is unable to research and draft his

		brief before that deadline. The Court's preliminary research indicates that class counsel have a duty to represent the interests of the class as a whole, not simply the interests of named plaintiffs. Fed. R. Civ. P. 23(g)(4). Thus, as provided in the Advisory Committee notes to Rule 23(g), class representatives do not have an unfettered right to fire class counsel. As the court explained in <i>Orlowski v. Dominick's Finer Foods, Inc.</i> , 1998 WL 161020, at *4 n.10 (N.D. Ill. Mar. 31, 1998), "[a]lthough the named Plaintiffs may choose their attorneys, the District Court has the final say about whether that choice is acceptable. The District Court also determines whether the named Plaintiffs, themselves, are acceptable representatives." Along with any issues the parties deem relevant, the parties should address in their briefs whether terminating class counsel is in the best interests of the class, whether the named Plaintiff has authority to terminate class counsel in this case, and whether the named Plaintiff remains an acceptable sole representative of the class in light of his request to terminate class counsel. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 10/03/2018)
10/10/2018	179	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey request for a free copy of record and transcripts. (kp,) (Entered: 10/12/2018)
10/10/2018	180	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey request for additional evidence to file his brief pursuant to Court's October 3, 2018 - Order. (kp,) (Entered: 10/12/2018)
10/12/2018	181	BRIEF in reposnce to order of 10/3/18 on substitution of counsels by Aaron Stewart (Exhibits). (Envelope postmarked 10/9/18) (kp,) (Entered: 10/18/2018)
10/18/2018	182	MOTION by Unknown Loevy & Loevy for extension of time to <i>response to the Court's October 3 Order and partial response to Class Representative's request</i> (Donnell, Heather) (Entered: 10/18/2018)
10/18/2018	183	NOTICE of Motion by Heather Lewis Donnell for presentment of (Donnell, Heather) (Entered: 10/18/2018)
10/18/2018	184	<i>Corrected</i> NOTICE of Motion by Heather Lewis Donnell for presentment of extension of time 182 before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 10/23/2018 at 09:15 AM. (Donnell, Heather) (Entered: 10/18/2018)
10/22/2018	185	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Plaintiffs' class counsel's motion for additional time to respond to the Court's October 3, 2018 Order and partial response to named Plaintiff Lester Dobbey's request for additional evidence to file his brief pursuant to the Court's October 3, 2018 Order 182 is granted. Notice of motion date of October 23, 2018 is stricken and no appearances are necessary on that date. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 10/22/2018)

10/24/2018	<u>186</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for extension of time to respond to this court's October 3, 2018 order until November 28, 2018. (yap,) (Entered: 10/24/2018)
10/24/2018	<u>187</u>	SUPPLEMENTAL Request for additional evidence to file his brief pursuant to Court's Order 3, 2018- order <u>186</u> . (yap,) (Entered: 10/24/2018)
10/29/2018	<u>188</u>	RESPONSE by Loevy & Loevy to MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for extension of time <u>186</u> <i>PLAINTIFFS CLASS COUNSELS RESPONSE TO PLAINTIFF DOBBEYS MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</i> (Donnell, Heather) (Entered: 10/29/2018)
11/14/2018	<u>189</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to withdraw notice of termination <u>177</u> , and motion for appointment of new class counsel <u>176</u> . (kp,) (Entered: 11/14/2018)
12/03/2018	<u>191</u>	STATUS by Aaron Stewart ;Notice. (kp,)(Envelope postmarked 11/27/18) Modified on 12/12/2018 (aee,). (Entered: 12/06/2018)
12/04/2018	<u>190</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Plaintiff Lester Dobbey's motion to withdraw <u>189</u> his motion for appointment of new class counsel is granted. Plaintiff's motion for appointment of new class counsel <u>176</u> is stricken as withdrawn. Plaintiff's motion for a free copy of the record and transcripts <u>179</u> , motion for additional evidence <u>180</u> , and motion for extension of time <u>186</u> are stricken as moot. The Courtroom Deputy will contact counsel and the Rule 706 expert, Mr. Kaskel, to determine an acceptable date for the next status hearing and settlement conference. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 12/04/2018)
12/06/2018	<u>192</u>	STATUS Report <i>Joint Status Report</i> by Lester Dobbey (Donnell, Heather) (Entered: 12/06/2018)
12/10/2018	<u>193</u>	ATTORNEY Appearance for Plaintiff Lester Dobbey by Adair Rachel Crosley (Crosley, Adair) (Entered: 12/10/2018)
01/04/2019	<u>194</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to intervene ;Notice. (kp,) (Entered: 01/04/2019)
01/07/2019	<u>195</u>	LETTER from Aaron Stewart dated 12/29/18. (Envelope postmarked 1/02/19) (kp,) (Entered: 01/09/2019)
01/07/2019	<u>196</u>	MOTION by Movant Aaron Stewart to intervene. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice of Filing) (Envelope postmarked 1/2/19) (kp,) (Entered: 01/09/2019)
01/22/2019	<u>197</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement Conference set for 1/23/2019 at 10:30 AM. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 01/22/2019)

01/23/2019	<u>198</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held. Counsel will work with Mr. Kaskel on a plan for Rule 706 expert work and a proposed budget and will notify the Courtroom Deputy when they would like to reconvene. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 01/23/2019)
03/21/2019	<u>199</u>	MOTION to identify continuous poor condition by Thomas M Davidson. (kp,) (Entered: 03/25/2019)
04/05/2019	<u>200</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, status hearing set for 4/8/2019 at 11:00 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 04/05/2019)
04/05/2019	<u>201</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Minute entry <u>200</u> is corrected as follows: By agreement of the parties, status hearing set for 5/8/2019 at 11:00 a.m. (Date change only.) Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 04/05/2019)
04/16/2019	<u>202</u>	LETTER from Edward Slavin dated 4/10/19. (Envelope postmarked 4/11/19) (kp,) (Entered: 04/18/2019)
04/22/2019	<u>203</u>	ORDER:The pro se motions of proposed intervenors Aaron McCollam <u>194</u> and Aaron Stewart <u>196</u> are denied and the motion to identify continuous poor conditions filed by Thomas Davidson <u>199</u> is granted to the extent that class counsel, who receive electronic notice of all filings on this docket, are now aware of the issues raised by Mr. Davidson. In regard to the motions to intervene, to the extent that Mr. McCollam and Mr. Stewart are or may in the future be inmates at Stateville, they are (or will be) members of the class entitled to the same potential prospective injunctive relief as all other class members. However, there is no need for intervention as the current class representative (Mr. Dobbey) is adequately representing the interests of the class, as are class counsel. In addition, to the extent that the putative intervenors seek relief outside the scope of the current lawsuit, which seeks injunctive relief only as to Stateville, they must file a new lawsuit. For example, claims for money damages or claims about the conditions at the NRC are outside the scope of the current lawsuit. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 4/22/2019. Mailed notice.(ek,) (Entered: 04/22/2019)
05/07/2019	<u>207</u>	MAIL RETURNED, for document # <u>203</u> sent to Aaron McCollum returned as undeliverable, return to sender. No new contact information received. (pj,) (Entered: 05/15/2019)
05/08/2019	<u>204</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held. By May 22, counsel for Plaintiffs will provide further information to counsel for Defendant relating to items in prior class notice; by June 5, the parties will send a joint status report to the

		Courtroom Deputy incorporating Defendant's responses. Due to the Court's trial calendar, the Court requests that counsel provide their availability for a further settlement conference between June 17-19 and July 1-3. The Courtroom Deputy will provide Judge Dow's available dates in August and September for site visit with counsel and Rule 706 expert. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 05/10/2019)
05/13/2019	<u>205</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, settlement conference is set for 6/19/2019 at 10:30 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 05/13/2019)
05/13/2019	<u>206</u>	ORDER: Request of counsel James Doran to withdraw Kevin R. Lovellette as counsel for the Defendants is granted. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 5/13/2019. Mailed notice. (kp,) (Entered: 05/13/2019)
07/11/2019	<u>208</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement Conference held on 6/19/2019 and continued to 7/12/2019 at 9:30 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 07/11/2019)
07/12/2019	<u>209</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to 9/4/2019 at 10:00 a.m. Parties to submit an agenda by 8/30/2019. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 07/12/2019)
07/18/2019	<u>210</u>	NOTICE OF EMAIL NOTIFICATION FAILURE, for document # <u>205</u> <u>206</u> sent to Attorney Vincenzo Field returned as: Unknown address error. Mailed to attorney Vincenzo Field a letter re: bounce back email and a Notification of Change of Address form. Notices have been set to No. Counsel must email the Clerk's Office at Docketing_ILND@ilnd.uscourts.gov when a Notification of Change of Address has been filed to ensure electronic notification is reset. (mc,) (Entered: 07/18/2019)
07/22/2019	<u>211</u>	MOTION by Attorney Vincenzo Field and Adair Crosley to withdraw as attorney for Lester Dobbey. No party information provided (Donnell, Heather) (Entered: 07/22/2019)
08/15/2019	<u>212</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for a copy of the latest amended complaint; Notice (Envelope postmarked 8/12/2019) (cc,) (Entered: 08/19/2019)
08/21/2019	<u>213</u>	STATUS Report (<i>Joint</i>) by Lester Dobbey (Grady, Sarah) (Entered: 08/21/2019)
09/04/2019	<u>214</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to 10/23/2019 at 10:00 a.m. Site visit scheduled for 9/11/2019 at 8:00 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 09/06/2019)

09/11/2019	<u>215</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Site visit held on 9/11/2019 at ILDOC. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 09/12/2019)
09/24/2019	<u>216</u>	CLASS MEMBER NOTICE by Movant Charles Randle to the Court/Joinder (Exhibits) (rp,) (Entered: 10/02/2019)
10/03/2019	<u>217</u>	ORDER: The motion to withdraw <u>211</u> as counsel filed by attorneys Field and Adair Crosley is granted. The motion <u>212</u> for a copy of the latest amended complaint filed by Aaron Stewart is denied. The Court advises Mr. Stewart that counsel for the class are Ms. Heather Lewis Donnell and Ms. Sarah Copeland Grady of the Lovey & Lovey law firm, 311 N. Aberdeen Street, 3rd floor, Chicago, IL 60607. Mr. Stewart should write to counsel if he would like any information about the pleadings or the current status of the case. The Court notes, however, that at present, this case is an injunctive relief only class action. If Mr. Stewart wishes to pursue an action for damages, he must file a separate lawsuit. The Clerk is requested to send a copy of this order to Mr. Aaron Stewart, ID # A-71724, 3820 E Main St., Danville, Illinois 61834. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 10/3/2019. Mailed notice (rp,) (Entered: 10/03/2019)
10/03/2019		MAILED copy of order dated 10/3/2019 to Mr. Aaron Stewart (rp,) (Entered: 10/03/2019)
10/04/2019	<u>218</u>	ORDER: Before the Court is the "Class Member Notice" filed by movant Charles Randle. In that document, Mr. Randle indicates that he believes that "IDOC/Stateville [are] failing to comply with the settlement terms." [216, at 1.] Mr. Randle also includes a complaint under Section 1983. [Id. at 2-62.] The Court advises Mr. Randle that counsel for the class are Ms. Heather Lewis Donnell and Ms. Sarah Copeland Grady of the Lovey & Lovey law firm, 311 N. Aberdeen Street, 3rd floor, Chicago, IL 60607. Mr. Randle should write to counsel if he would like any information about the current status of the case. The Court notes, however, that at present, this case is an injunctive relief only class action. If Mr. Randle wishes to pursue an action for damages, he must file a separate lawsuit. The Clerk is requested to send a copy of this order to Mr. Charles Randle, ID # M-27372, at Stateville Correctional Center. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 10/4/2019. Mailed notice (cc,) (Entered: 10/07/2019)
10/07/2019		MAILED a copy of the order dated 10/4/2019 to Mr. Charles Randle at Stateville Correctional Center (cc,) (Entered: 10/07/2019)
10/21/2019	<u>219</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: At defense counsel's request and by agreement of the parties, the settlement conference set for 10/22/2019 is cancelled and reset to 10/30/2019 at 11:00 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 10/21/2019)

10/21/2019	<u>220</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: At the request of the parties, the settlement conference set for 10/30/2019 is cancelled and reset to 11/7/2019 at 11:15 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 10/21/2019)
10/22/2019	<u>221</u>	NOTICE by Lester Dobbey of Change of Address. (Envelope postmarked 10/18/2019) (pj,) (Entered: 10/24/2019)
11/07/2019	<u>222</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to 12/13/2019 at 10:30 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 11/07/2019)
12/13/2019	<u>223</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to 1/27/2020 at 11:00 a.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 12/13/2019)
01/24/2020	<u>224</u>	STATUS Report (<i>JOINT</i>) by Lester Dobbey (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A, # <u>2</u> Exhibit B)(Grady, Sarah) (Entered: 01/24/2020)
01/28/2020	<u>225</u>	CLASS Notice. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 1/28/2020. Mailed notice. (sxb,) (Entered: 01/28/2020)
03/16/2020	<u>226</u>	ORDER Amended General Order 20-0012 IN RE: CORONAVIRUS COVID-19 PUBLIC EMERGENCY Signed by the Chief Judge Rebecca R. Pallmeyer on March 16, 2020. All open cases are impacted by this Amended General Order. See attached Order for guidance. Signed by the Honorable Rebecca R. Pallmeyer on 3/16/2020: Mailed notice. (docket1,) (Entered: 03/17/2020)
03/30/2020	<u>227</u>	ORDER Seconded Amended General Order 20-0012 IN RE: CORONAVIRUS COVID-19 PUBLIC EMERGENCY Signed by the Chief Judge Rebecca R. Pallmeyer on March 30, 2020. All open cases are impacted by this Second Amended General Order. Amended General Order 20-0012, entered on March 17, 2020, and General Order 20-0014, entered on March 20, 2020, are vacated and superseded by this Second Amended General. See attached Order for guidance. Signed by the Honorable Rebecca R. Pallmeyer on 3/30/2020: Mailed notice. (docket12,) (Entered: 04/01/2020)
04/02/2020	<u>228</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for leave to file excess pages (Grady, Sarah) (Entered: 04/02/2020)
04/02/2020	<u>229</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for leave to file <i>under seal</i> (Grady, Sarah) (Entered: 04/02/2020)
04/02/2020	<u>230</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey For Temporary Appointment of a Special Master (<i>EMERGENCY</i>) (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit 1, # <u>2</u> Exhibit 2, # <u>3</u> Exhibit 3, # <u>4</u> Exhibit 4, # <u>5</u> Exhibit 5, # <u>6</u> Exhibit 6, # <u>7</u> Exhibit 7,

		# 8 Exhibit 8, # 9 Exhibit 9, # 10 Exhibit 10, # 11 Exhibit 11, # 12 Exhibit 12, # 13 Exhibit 13)(Grady, Sarah) (Entered: 04/02/2020)
04/02/2020	231	SEALED MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey <i>for Temporary Appointment of a Special Master</i> (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 9, # 2 Exhibit 11, # 3 Exhibit 12)(Grady, Sarah) (Entered: 04/02/2020)
04/02/2020	232	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to expedite <i>Hearing on Plaintiffs' Emergency Motion for Temporary Appointment of a Special Master</i> (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1, # 2 Exhibit 2, # 3 Exhibit 3, # 4 Exhibit 4, # 5 Exhibit 5, # 6 Exhibit 6, # 7 Exhibit 7)(Grady, Sarah) (Entered: 04/02/2020)
04/03/2020	233	ATTORNEY Appearance for Defendants Marcus Hardy, John Does One through Ten, Troy Johnson, Michael Lemke, James Louch, John Lutzinger, Michael Studer by R. Douglas Rees (Rees, R.) (Entered: 04/03/2020)
04/03/2020	234	ATTORNEY Appearance for Defendants Marcus Hardy, Troy Johnson, Michael Lemke, James Louch, Michael Studer by Nicholas Scott Staley (Staley, Nicholas) (Entered: 04/03/2020)
04/03/2020	235	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Telephone motion and status hearing held. Plaintiffs' motion for excess pages 228 and Plaintiffs' motion to file under seal 229 are granted. Plaintiff's motion for expedited hearing 232 also is granted, as today's hearing complies with that request. Plaintiffs' motion for temporary appointment of special master [230, redacted version; 231; sealed version] is taken under advisement. Plaintiffs are given leave to file supplement to the motion with a concrete proposal as soon as they are able to do so. Further telephone status hearing set for 4/7/2020 at 11:00 a.m. Counsel should use the same call-in information as today. In the interest of efficiency, all further filings relating to this motion should be made only in this docket (13cv1068) and not in the emergency docket (20cv1792). Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 04/03/2020)
04/04/2020	236	ATTORNEY Appearance for Plaintiff Lester Dobbey by Stephen H. Weil (Weil, Stephen) (Entered: 04/04/2020)
04/05/2020	237	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: This matter is currently set for a telephone status hearing at 11:00 a.m. on 4/7/2020. The Court is aware that Judge Kennelly has set a telephone status hearing at 10:30 a.m. in Case No. 20-cv-2134, Mays v. Thomas. If the potential overlap in timing of these two emergency telephone hearings creates a problem for counsel on either or both sides of this case, counsel should advise the Court and the Courtroom Deputy by email, in which case the telephone status hearing in this case will be postponed until

		after the hearing before Judge Kennelly concludes. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 04/05/2020)
04/06/2020	238	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement, telephone status hearing set for 4/7/2020 is reset to 1:00 p.m. This is a time change only. Counsel are reminded to use the call-in number provided last Thursday. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 04/06/2020)
04/06/2020	239	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to appoint expert <i>Amended Motion to Appoint Rule 706 Expert in Supplement to Plaintiffs' Emergency Motion to Appoint Temporary Special Master (dckt. 230)</i> (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A (Dr. Stern CV), # 2 Exhibit B (Mr. Vail CV), # 3 Exhibit C (Lippert Order), # 4 Exhibit D (Lippert Letter))(Donnell, Heather) (Entered: 04/06/2020)
04/07/2020	240	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Plaintiffs' Amended Motion to Appoint Rule 706 Expert in Supplement to Plaintiffs' Emergency Motion to Appoint Temporary Special Master 239 is taken under advisement. Defendant is given until 4/8/2020 at 11:00 am to file a brief response. The Court will issue a ruling by mail. Plaintiffs' prior motions to appoint temporary special master [230, 231] are superseded and thus stricken as moot. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 04/07/2020)
04/08/2020	241	RESPONSE by Marcus Hardy, John Does One through Ten, Troy Johnson, Michael Lemke, James Louch, John Lutzinger, Michael Studer, William Weilding in Opposition to MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to appoint expert <i>Amended Motion to Appoint Rule 706 Expert in Supplement to Plaintiffs' Emergency Motion to Appoint Temporary Special Master (dckt. 230)</i> 239 (Rees, R.) (Entered: 04/08/2020)
04/13/2020	242	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Plaintiff's amended motion to appoint Rule 706 expert 239 is denied without prejudice. At the present time, the Court has concluded that imposing on the already overburdened medical personnel and correctional officials and officers trying to cope with the outbreak of COVID-19 at Stateville any obligation to work with outsiders and report to lawyers and a judge would be counterproductive, especially when it is conceded that none of the individuals identified in the motion papers or on the telephone conferences has any particularized knowledge about the conditions at Stateville since the first COVID-19 case was identified. This denial is without prejudice to renewal at a later stage of this litigation if Plaintiffs can show a need for expert input on a COVID-19 matter of consequence to this litigation specifically that is not, or will not be, adequately handled by the Lippert monitoring team. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 04/13/2020)

04/24/2020	<u>243</u>	ORDER Third Amended General Order 20-0012 IN RE: CORONAVIRUS COVID-19 PUBLIC EMERGENCY Signed by the Chief Judge Rebecca R. Pallmeyer on April 24, 2020. All open cases are impacted by this Third Amended General Order. Parties are must carefully review all obligations under this Order, including the requirement listed in paragraph number 5 to file a joint written status report in most civil cases. See attached Order. Signed by the Honorable Rebecca R. Pallmeyer on 4/24/2020: Mailed notice. (docket1,) (Entered: 04/27/2020)
05/21/2020	<u>244</u>	NOTICE by Lester Dobbey of Change of Address (tg,) (Entered: 05/22/2020)
05/26/2020	<u>245</u>	ORDER ORDER Fourth Amended General Order 20-0012 IN RE: CORONAVIRUS COVID-19 PUBLIC EMERGENCY Signed by the Chief Judge Rebecca R. Pallmeyer on May 26, 2020. This Order does not extend or modify any deadlines set in civil cases. For non-emergency motions, no motion may be noticed for presentment on a date earlier than July 15, 2020. See attached Order. Signed by the Honorable Rebecca R. Pallmeyer on 5/26/2020: Mailed notice. (docket1,) (Entered: 05/26/2020)
06/25/2020	<u>246</u>	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for the court appointment of intermediate counsel. (ph,) (Entered: 06/26/2020)
07/02/2020	<u>247</u>	PRO SE Appearance by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey (rp,) (Entered: 07/02/2020)
07/02/2020	<u>248</u>	NOTICE by Lester Dobbey to court of termination of Loevy & Loevy (rp,) (Entered: 07/02/2020)
07/03/2020	<u>249</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, settlement conference is set for 7/9/2020 at 2:00 p.m. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 07/03/2020)
07/07/2020	<u>250</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: The call-in information for the 7/9/2020 hearing is as follows: Please use the Court's toll-free call-in number 877-336-1829, conference access code is 6963747. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 07/07/2020)
07/09/2020	<u>251</u>	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to 8/19/2020 at 12:30 p.m. Counsel will call chambers per the procedure used today. Counsel will provide joint status report no later than 8/14/2020. Counsel for Plaintiffs will provide status report as to Mr. Dobbey's recent motions [246, 248] after conferring with Mr. Dobbey. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 07/09/2020)

07/10/2020	252	ORDER Fifth Amended General Order 20-0012 IN RE: CORONAVIRUS COVID-19 PUBLIC EMERGENCY Signed by the Chief Judge Rebecca R. Pallmeyer on July 10, 2020. This Order does not extend or modify any deadlines set in civil cases. No motions may be noticed for in-person presentment; the presiding judge will notify parties of the need, if any, for a hearing by electronic means or in-court proceeding. See attached Order. Signed by the Honorable Rebecca R. Pallmeyer on 7/10/2020: Mailed notice. (Clerk3, Docket) (Entered: 07/10/2020)
08/07/2020	253	STATUS Report <i>Regarding Mr. Lester Dobbey's Motions for Court Appointment of Intermediate Counsel and Notice of Termination</i> by Lester Dobbey (Donnell, Heather) (Entered: 08/07/2020)
08/07/2020	254	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey To Declass Class Action Certification. (rc,) (Entered: 08/07/2020)
08/07/2020	255	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey Request For A Order to Lovey & Lovey to Transfer The Entire Case Files Over to Mr. Dobbey. (rc,) (Entered: 08/07/2020)
08/11/2020	256	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to withdraw motion for attorney representation 246 . (nsf,) (Entered: 08/11/2020)
08/12/2020	257	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for clarification of conflicts of Interest. (nsf,) (Entered: 08/13/2020)
08/17/2020	258	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: On the Court's own motion, the settlement conference set for 8/19/2020 at 12:30 p.m. is reset to 8/19/2020 at 11:00 a.m. Counsel to jointly call chambers. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 08/17/2020)
08/19/2020	259	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to 10/15/2020 at 10:30 a.m. The Court will issue a ruling on the pending motions [246, 254, 255, 256, 257] in the near future. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 08/19/2020)
09/11/2020	260	AMENDED MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to declass class action certification. (rp,) (Entered: 09/11/2020)
09/18/2020	261	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to Terminate Loevy & Loevy as class counsel due to breach of Contract. (Exhibits) (nsf,) (Entered: 09/21/2020)
09/21/2020	262	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to intervene <i>Unopposed Motion to Substitute Mr. Abdul Malik Muhammad as Class Representative</i> (Donnell, Heather) (Entered: 09/21/2020)
09/28/2020	263	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to intervene and substitute class rep. (nsf,) (Entered: 09/28/2020)

09/29/2020	264	MOTION by Defendant Michael Lemke to strike MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to intervene <i>Unopposed Motion to Substitute Mr. Abdul Malik Muhammad as Class Representative</i> 262 (Exhibits) (nsf,) (Entered: 09/29/2020)
10/07/2020	265	ORDER: For the reasons stated below, Plaintiff Dobbey's motion for court appointment of intermediate counsel 246 is withdrawn in view of Plaintiff Dobbey's motion to withdraw motion for attorney representation 256 . Plaintiff Dobbey's motion to declass class action certification 254 is denied as moot in view of the filing of an amended motion to declass class action certification 260 . Plaintiff Dobbey's amended motion to declass class action certification 260 is denied as the class action remains viable. Plaintiff Dobbey's motion for clarification of conflicts of interest 257 is granted and addressed below. Plaintiff Dobbey's motion to terminate Loevy & Loevy as class counsel 261 , motion to intervene and substitute class representative 263 , and to strike motion to substitute 264 are all denied. Plaintiff Dobbey's motion for transfer of his case file 255 is granted in part as to any documents relating to his individual damages claim, but otherwise denied because he is not entitled to the class action file. Unopposed motion to substitute Abdul Malik Muhammad 262 is granted. Mr. Muhammad is substituted for Mr. Dobbey as named class representative. Mr. Dobbey is directed to file a pro se appearance as soon as possible. A joint status report on Mr. Dobbey's individual claims is due no later than November 9, 2020. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 10/7/2020. Mailed notice (nsf,) (Entered: 10/08/2020)
10/08/2020		MAILED Copy of Order dated 10/7/20 to plaintiff. (nsf,) (Entered: 10/08/2020)
10/13/2020	266	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Due to the Court's sentencing schedule this week, the settlement conference set for 10/15/2020 will need to be reset. The Courtroom Deputy will contact counsel with some possible dates. Emailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 10/13/2020)
10/14/2020	267	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey for request for specific clarifications regarding order 265 . (nsf,) (Entered: 10/14/2020)
10/14/2020	268	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey request for an offer of proof of class representative.(nsf,) (Entered: 10/14/2020)
10/14/2020	269	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to reconsider court order 265 . (nsf,) (Entered: 10/14/2020)
10/14/2020	270	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to stay the proceedings of his motion to reconsider court order 265 . (nsf,) (Entered: 10/14/2020)

11/06/2020	271	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to withdraw motion to stay 270 (ec,) (Entered: 11/06/2020)
11/09/2020	272	STATUS Report <i>on Mr. Dobbey's individual claim</i> by Marcus Hardy, Troy Johnson, Michael Lemke, James Louch, Michael Studer (Doran, James) (Entered: 11/09/2020)
11/19/2020	273	STATUS Report <i>on Mr. Dobbey's individual claim</i> by Marcus Hardy, Troy Johnson, Michael Lemke, James Louch, Michael Studer (Doran, James) (Entered: 11/19/2020)
11/23/2020	274	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Upon review of the joint status report 273 on Plaintiff Dobbey's individual damages claim, in which the parties note that Plaintiff is awaiting materials from class counsel, the parties are directed to submit an further joint status report on the discovery they will need no later than 12/31/2020. (cdh,) (Entered: 11/23/2020)
12/01/2020	275	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to voluntarily withdraw and dismiss second amended complaint. (ec,) (Entered: 12/01/2020)
12/01/2020	276	NOTICE of Motion by Lester Dobbey for presentment of motion to voluntarily withdraw and dismiss second amended complaint 275 before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 12/4/2020 at 10:00 AM. (ec,) (Entered: 12/01/2020)
12/02/2020	277	ORDER Plaintiff Dobbey's motion to voluntarily withdraw his individual claims 275 is granted. Notice of motion date of 12/4/2020 is stricken and no appearances are necessary on that date. Plaintiff Dobbey's individual claims for money damages are withdrawn. The injunctive relief claims brought on behalf of the class, now represented by named Plaintiff Muhammad, remain pending. All pending motions directed toward the individual claims [267, 268, 269, 270, 271] are stricken as moot. Class counsel for Plaintiff Muhammad and counsel for Defendants are requested to confer and email the Courtroom Deputy with possible dates in January 2021 for a telephonic status hearing/settlement conference. Signed by the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr on 12/2/2020: Mailed notice (ec,) (Entered: 12/02/2020)
12/07/2020	278	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, settlement conference set for 1/6/2021 at 1:30 p.m. The Court will send the contact information the day before the hearing. Emailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 12/07/2020)
01/06/2021	279	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held and continued to a future date to be determined. Parties are to email the Courtroom Deputy with their available dates at 1:30

		p.m. and submit an agenda as discussed at least 48 hours in advance. Emailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 01/06/2021)
01/14/2021	280	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, Settlement Conference is continued to 1/26/2021 at 01:30 PM. The Courtroom Deputy will send counsel the video conference link three days before the hearing. Emailed. notice (cdh,) (Entered: 01/14/2021)
01/26/2021	281	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: At the request and by agreement of the parties, the settlement conference set for 1/26/2021 is reset to 2/4/2021 at 11:30 a.m. Emailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 01/26/2021)
01/28/2021	282	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey pro-se request for status hearing by telephone. (ec,) (Entered: 01/28/2021)
01/28/2021	283	NOTICE of Motion by Lester Dobbey for presentment of motion for miscellaneous relief 282 before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 2/5/2021 at 09:30 AM. (ec,) (Entered: 01/28/2021)
01/28/2021	284	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey request for copies of court orders, minute orders, and notices of electronic filings pursuant to District Court General Order No. 18-0014. (ec,) (Entered: 01/28/2021)
01/28/2021	285	NOTICE of Motion by Lester Dobbey for presentment of motion for miscellaneous relief 284 before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 2/5/2021 at 09:30 AM. (ec,) (Entered: 01/28/2021)
01/28/2021	286	MOTION by Plaintiff Lester Dobbey to voluntarily withdraw and dismiss second amended complaint. (ec,) (Entered: 01/28/2021)
01/28/2021	287	NOTICE of Motion by Lester Dobbey for presentment of motion to withdraw, motion to dismiss 286 before Honorable Robert M. Dow Jr. on 2/5/2021 at 09:30 AM. (ec,) (Entered: 01/28/2021)
02/01/2021	288	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: In view of the Court's order 277 entered on 12/2/2020 granting Plaintiff Dobbey's motion to voluntarily withdraw his individual claims, Plaintiff's motions for telephone status hearing 282 is denied. Plaintiff's motion for copies of court orders 284 is granted in part and the Courtroom Deputy will mail to Mr. Dobbey copies of this order and the Court's 12/2/2020 order 277 . Plaintiff's motion to voluntarily withdraw and dismiss complaint 286 is denied as moot as the Court already has withdrawn Plaintiff's individual claims at his request. Notice of motion date of 2/5/2021 is stricken and no appearances are necessary on that date. Mailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 02/01/2021)

02/01/2021		MAILED out 277 , 288 to Plaintiff Dobbey on 2/1/2021. (cdh,) (Entered: 02/01/2021)
02/02/2021	289	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: At the request of counsel, the settlement conference set for 2/4/2021 is cancelled and a new date to be determined. Emailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 02/02/2021)
02/04/2021	290	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: By agreement of the parties, settlement conference is set for 2/18/2021 at 11:30 a.m. The courtroom deputy will email the parties three days before the hearing as to whether the hearing will be telephonically or via video conference. Emailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 02/04/2021)
02/18/2021	291	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held telephonically and continued to 3/29/2021 at 10:30 a.m. The next settlement conference likely will be telephonic as well, but the Courtroom Deputy will confirm approximately a week before. If counsel has information to report or an agenda for the conference, they may send an email to the Courtroom Deputy at any time. Emailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 02/19/2021)
04/01/2021	292	MINUTE entry before the Honorable Robert M. Dow, Jr: Settlement conference held on 3/29/2021. Counsel will contact the Courtroom Deputy to set another settlement conference in due course. Emailed notice (cdh,) (Entered: 04/01/2021)

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