

**UNPUBLISHED****UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT**

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**No. 24-1615**

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TAIMING ZHANG,

Plaintiff - Appellant,

v.

ANDREW JOSEPH BONOMOLO,

Defendant - Appellee.

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Appeal from the United States District Court for the Middle District of North Carolina, at Greensboro. Catherine C. Eagles, Chief District Judge. (1:23-cv-00627-CCE-JEP)

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Submitted: October 8, 2024

Decided: October 18, 2024

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Before GREGORY and AGEE, Circuit Judges, and KEENAN, Senior Circuit Judge.

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Affirmed as modified by unpublished per curiam opinion.

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Taiming Zhang, Appellant Pro Se.

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Unpublished opinions are not binding precedent in this circuit.

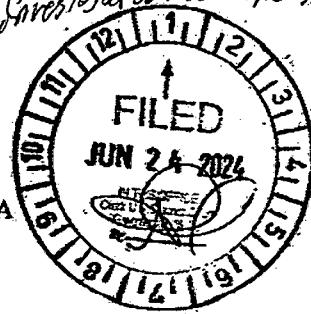
## PER CURIAM:

Taiming Zhang appeals the district court's order accepting the recommendation of the magistrate judge and dismissing Zhang's civil action for lack of personal jurisdiction based on insufficient service of process. We have reviewed the record and find no reversible error. However, a dismissal for lack of personal jurisdiction must be without prejudice. *Atkisson v. Holder*, 925 F.3d 606, 628 (4th Cir. 2019). We therefore modify the dismissal order, *Zhang v. Bonomolo*, No. 1:23-cv-00627-CCE-JEP (M.D.N.C. June 24, 2024), to reflect dismissal without prejudice for lack of jurisdiction, and affirm as modified, 28 U.S.C. § 2106. We dispense with oral argument because the facts and legal contentions are adequately presented in the materials before this court and argument would not aid the decisional process.

*AFFIRMED AS MODIFIED*

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being tortured, where every sentence is a lie, most  
sentences are palpable lies where further investigation is not necessary

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA



TAIMING ZHANG

Plaintiff, )  
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v. )  
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)  
Defendant. )

1:23-CV-627

ENTIRELY FALSE ORDER AND JUDGMENT of an insurrectional scoundrel

This case is before the Court on a motion to dismiss filed by the defendant based  
on improper service and lack of personal jurisdiction. The United States Magistrate

Judge recommends granting the motion. Doc. 17. The plaintiff filed objections, Doc. 19,

and a "clarification" to his objection. Doc. 20. Throughout those objections, the plaintiff  
repeatedly interjects unfounded personal opinions and scurrilous and irrelevant comments  
about the Magistrate Judge. The plaintiff does the same in the "clarification".

As the plaintiff admits, there is a state court order finding as a fact that the  
defendant does not live at the address where the plaintiff attempted service. As clearly  
explained by the Magistrate Judge, service on another person at that location is

inadequate. Moreover, the plaintiff's attempted service at that address violated a state  
court order, the plaintiff admits this lawsuit was filed in this forum in an effort to avoid

the force of state court orders, and allowing this case to proceed here would violate  
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The Magistrate Judge wrote a thoughtful and thorough memorandum opinion and recommendation clearly explaining the law and the basis for the recommendation. Nothing in the objections undermines the Magistrate Judge's analysis. After de novo consideration of the portions of the Magistrate Judge's report to which objections were made, the Court agrees with and hereby adopts the Magistrate Judge's recommendation.

In the objections and supplement, the plaintiff has included pages and pages of  
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vitriol and unsupported claims of misconduct by the Magistrate Judge. As explained  
recently by another judge in this district:

Litigants are entitled to disagree with a court's decision, and no doubt courts make mistakes – that is why, in part, we have appellate review. But it is a “time honored notion that the law and the courts of the United States are important parts of American society worthy of respect.” *Theriault v. Silber*, 579 F.2d 302, 303 (5th Cir. 1978) (dismissing appeal for “vile and insulting references to the trial judge”). Plaintiff must conduct himself uprightly with respect for the judicial process, even when he disagrees with a ruling. Cases are to be argued on their merits, and they will be decided on their merits. Attacking the judicial officer – here the United States Magistrate Judge – is wholly unacceptable and will not be tolerated.

*Mitchell v. Seagrace*, No. 22-CV-224, 2022 WL 1160405, at \*1 (M.D.N.C. Apr. 7, 2022).

These rules apply to all litigants, including the plaintiff here. The plaintiff is warned that there may be consequences resulting from any further personal attacks on the Magistrate Judge or any judicial officer of the federal courts. The plaintiff may also face sanctions under Rule 11 of the Rules of Civil Procedure.

It is ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the defendant's motion to dismiss, Doc. 10, is GRANTED for lack of personal jurisdiction. This action is DISMISSED, and the

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plaintiff is WARNED that further personal attacks on a Magistrate Judge or any judicial  
officer may result in ~~dismissal of claims or cases or other appropriate sanction.~~ <sup>the judge tortured, maligned, and defamed pursuant to the</sup> <sup>contrivance.</sup>

This the 21st day of June, 2024, amended, the undersigned, a Notary Public in the State of California, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this day of June, 2024, and that the signature of the above-named person is his or her true and lawful signature.

Amotated by TMZ  
under penalty of perjury

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order by I.S. M(F)J JEP

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
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 Defendant. )

ORDER

This matter is before the Court on a Complaint [Doc. #2] filed by Plaintiff Taiming Zhang, a Chinese citizen, asserting a claim against Defendant Andrew Joseph Bonomolo. In conjunction with the Complaint, Plaintiff also submitted an Application to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis*. The Court has reviewed Plaintiff's Application and concludes that Plaintiff qualifies financially to proceed without payment of costs and fees in this matter.

In considering the exercise of jurisdiction in this case, the Court notes that Plaintiff first purports to bring his claims under the Fifth Amendment for "undue stripping of property and health." However, Plaintiff does not assert claims against a state actor or anyone acting under color of state law, and has not properly stated any federal constitutional or statutory claim. Thus, there does not appear to be a basis for subject matter jurisdiction based on a federal claim. However, Plaintiff also alleges federal diversity jurisdiction and asserts state law claims for fraud, breach of contract, and intentional infliction of emotional distress, and seeks damages in excess of \$75,000.00. Therefore, it appears that there is a basis for federal subject

matter jurisdiction based on diversity, and further consideration of those claims can be undertaken on Motions to Dismiss or for Summary Judgment.

The Court notes that Plaintiff also filed a sealed motion [Doc. #5], requesting that the US Marshal serve Defendant, asking to be allowed to e-file documents, and asking to be “granted a PACER exemption.” In considering this request, the Court first notes that there is no basis for this Motion to be sealed, and the Clerk will be directed to unseal it. With respect to service, as set out below, the U.S. Marshal’s Service will serve the Complaint by mail, but Plaintiff is responsible for delivering to the clerk a correct summons for service. With respect to a PACER exemption, there is no need for a PACER exemption since Plaintiff will receive a free copy of documents filed in this case. With respect to e-filing documents, at this early stage, and in order to keep sufficient oversight over the docket, that request will be denied, but without prejudice to further consideration of the request later in the proceedings.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Plaintiff’s Application for Leave to Proceed In Forma Pauper and Affidavit/Declaration in Support [Doc. #1] is GRANTED, and Plaintiff is hereby permitted to proceed in this action in forma pauperis, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a). Plaintiff is responsible for preparing and delivering to the Clerk, the correct summons for service on each defendant, including the correct address and the name and title of the individual to be served on behalf of a corporation, association, infant, incompetent or government agency. Failure to prepare and deliver said summons within 30 days from the filing of this order shall result in this case being dismissed without further notice. The U.S. Marshal shall serve the summons and complaint upon defendants.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiff's Motion for Service and PACER exemption [Doc. #5] is unsealed and is denied as set out above.

This, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2024.

/s/ Joi Elizabeth Peake  
United States Magistrate Judge

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JUDGMENT

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In accordance with the decision of this court, the judgment of the district court is affirmed as modified.

This judgment shall take effect upon issuance of this court's mandate in accordance with Fed. R. App. P. 41.

/s/ NWAMAKA ANOWI, CLERK

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M A N D A T E

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The judgment of this court, entered October 18, 2024, takes effect today.

This constitutes the formal mandate of this court issued pursuant to Rule 41(a) of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure.

/s/Nwamaka Anowi, Clerk

**Additional material  
from this filing is  
available in the  
Clerk's Office.**