

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

CLAYTON MELLENDER,

Plaintiff,

ORDER

v.

06-C-547-C

DR. CHARLES LARSON and
RICHARD RAEMISCH,

Defendants.

Plaintiff Clayton Mellender is proceeding in this civil action pro se and in forma pauperis. In an order dated April 16, 2007, I stayed all proceedings until I could locate a lawyer willing to represent plaintiff after concluding that the court and the parties would benefit if plaintiff had such representation. Now Michael Joffre, a lawyer with the law firm of Kellogg, Huber, Hansen, Todd, Evans & Figel, LLC, has agreed to represent plaintiff, with the understanding that he will serve with no guarantee of compensation for his services. It is this court's intention that the appointment of Mr. Joffre to represent plaintiff extend to

proceedings in this court only.¹ (Mr. Joffre should note that although plaintiff was a prisoner at the time he filed his complaint, he is no longer incarcerated. He resides at 5312 Trafalgar Place in Madison, Wisconsin, 53714, and has notified the court that he may be reached by telephone at (608) 333-9512.)

Plaintiff should be aware that because I am appointing counsel to represent him, he may not communicate directly with the court about matters pertaining to his case. He must work directly with his lawyer and permit him to exercise his professional judgment to determine which matters are appropriate to bring to the court's attention and in what form.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that Michael Joffre is appointed to represent plaintiff in this case.

Further, IT IS ORDERED that the stay entered herein on April 16, 2007, is LIFTED. The clerk of court is requested to schedule a pretrial conference in this case to be held telephonically before United States Magistrate Judge Stephen Crocker so that new deadlines

¹"Proceedings in this court" include all matters leading up to a final judgment on the merits, the filing of a Notice of Appeal, if appropriate, and ensuring that all steps are taken to transfer the record to the Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit.

may be established for moving this case to resolution.

Entered this 18th day of June, 2007.

BY THE COURT:
/s/
BARBARA B. CRABB
District Judge