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## IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF ADA

Case No. CV01-23-12046

IN RE: REFERRAL TO CONSIDER WHETHER VERNON K. SMITH, JR. SHOULD BE DECLARED A VEXATIOUS LITIGANT PURSUANT TO I.C.A.R. 59

PREFILING ORDER

## PREFILING ORDER

Pursuant to I.C.A.R. 59, Vernon K. Smith, Jr. has been found by the Court to be a vexatious litigant and findings have been entered to that effect.

Vernon K. Smith, Jr. is prohibited from filing any new litigation in the courts of this state pro se without first obtaining leave of a judge of the court where the litigation is proposed to be filed.

The Clerk of the Court shall provide a copy of the prefiling order to the Administrative Director of the Courts.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED THIS day of October 2023.

Steven J. Hippler

Administrative District Judge

## **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that on the <u>19</u> day of <u>October</u> 2023, I mailed or emailed a true and correct copy of the foregoing document as notice pursuant to the Idaho Rules to each of the following:

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Ada County, Idaho