## United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit

No. 22-20403 Summary Calendar United States Court of Appeals Fifth Circuit

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WAYNE SMITH,

Plaintiff—Appellant,

versus

DAVID HITTNER; MTGLQ INVESTORS, L.P.; BRANDON HAKARI; CHARLES ESKRIDGE; SAM S. SHELTON; CLARE I. COUGILL; MARILYN BURGESS,

Defendants—Appellees.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas USDC No. 4:21-CV-3079

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Before CLEMENT, SOUTHWICK, and ENGELHARDT, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:\*

Wayne Smith appeals the dismissal of his case under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(b)(6). "We review *de novo* the grant of a Rule 12(b)(6) motion to dismiss." *Lampton v. Diaz*, 639 F.3d 223, 225 (5th Cir. 2011) (citation omitted). Having reviewed the briefs and the record, we find Smith

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hasn't shown that he stated a claim upon which relief can be granted. See FED. R. CIV. P. 12(b)(6). So, we AFFIRM and all pending motions are DENIED.