

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

No. 94-30430
Conference Calendar

JEROME KENNON,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

versus

KATHY ROBERTSON, ET AL.,

Defendants-Appellees.

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Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Middle District of Louisiana
USDC No. CA-94-554-B-M1
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(September 20, 1994)

Before KING, SMITH, and BENAVIDES, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:*

A private party has no right to enforce federal criminal statutes. Bass Angler Sportsman Soc'y v. United States Steel Corp., 324 F. Supp. 412, 415 (D. Ala.), aff'd, 447 F.2d 1304 (5th Cir. 1971). The district court did not abuse its discretion in dismissing as frivolous the criminal complaint against prison officials that Louisiana prisoner Jerome Kennon filed in district court. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(d); Booker v. Koonce, 2 F.3d 114, 115 (5th Cir. 1993).

* Local Rule 47.5 provides: "The publication of opinions that have no precedential value and merely decide particular cases on the basis of well-settled principles of law imposes needless expense on the public and burdens on the legal profession." Pursuant to that Rule, the Court has determined that this opinion should not be published.

Because the result of the instant appeal is obvious and the arguments of error are wholly without merit, this appeal is frivolous. Coghlan v. Starkey, 852 F.2d 806, 811 (5th Cir. 1988). As such, the APPEAL is DISMISSED. See 5th Cir. R. 42.2.