

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION**

In the Matter of	)	
	)	Civil Action No.
Darnell Tipton	)	16 C 4031
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**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ORDER**

**IT APPEARING THAT** since the year 2000, Darnell Tipton has filed at least 15 cases in this Court.

**IT FURTHER APPEARING THAT** Mr. Tipton has unpaid filing fees in this Court of \$2,992.29.

**IT FURTHER APPEARING THAT** it is the judgment of the Executive Committee that reasonable and necessary restraints must be imposed upon Mr. Tipton's ability to file new civil cases in this District *pro se* or otherwise until he pays \$2,992.29 in unpaid fees to the Court. Cases in existence prior to the entry of this order are not affected by this order and shall proceed as usual.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE** in its capacity as the supervisor of the assignment of cases, that the clerk is directed to return unfiled any documents or presentments submitted either directly or indirectly by or on behalf of Darnell Tipton. A copy of this order shall be included with the returned documents, and

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that any password issued to Darnell Tipton for access to the electronic filing system shall be disabled, and

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that after making payment of \$2,992.29 in unpaid fees, Darnell Tipton may submit to the Executive Committee a motion to modify or rescind this order, and

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that nothing in this order shall be construed -----

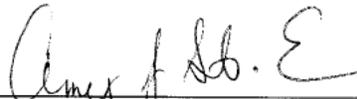
- a) to affect Mr. Tipton's ability to defend himself in any criminal action,
- b) to deny Mr. Tipton access to the federal courts through the filing of a petition for a writ of habeas corpus or other extraordinary writ, or

- c) to deny Mr. Tipton access to the United States Court of Appeals or the United States Supreme Court, and

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Clerk shall cause to be created and maintained a miscellaneous file with the title "In the matter of Darnell Tipton " and case number 16 CV 4031. The miscellaneous file shall serve as the repository of this order and any order or minute order entered pursuant to this order. The Clerk will also maintain a miscellaneous docket associated with the file. All orders retained in the file will be entered on that docket following standard docketing procedures. A brief entry will be made on the docket indicating the receipt of any materials from Mr. Tipton, and

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Clerk shall cause a copy of this order to be mailed to Mr. Tipton at [REDACTED], Joliet, IL 60434, the address given by Mr. Tipton in documents received on March 3, 2016. Such mailing shall be by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested.

**ENTER:  
FOR THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

  
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Acting Chief Judge

Dated at Chicago, Illinois this 8 day of April, 2016