UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA **SOUTHERN DIVISION**

MARNIKA LEWIS, et al.,)
Plaintiffs,)) Case No. 2:16-cv-690-RDP
v.)
THE STATE OF ALABAMA,))
et al.,)
Defendants.	,
NOTI	CE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to Rules 3 and 4 of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure, notice is hereby given that all Plaintiffs in the above-named case hereby appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit the Court's February 1, 2017 Memorandum Opinion (Doc. 52) and Order (Doc. 53) dismissing Plaintiffs' claims with prejudice.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on this the 24th day of February, 2017, I filed the foregoing with the electronic court filing system for the United States District Court for the Northern District of Alabama and I served via electronic mail the following counsel of record:

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