

United States Court of Appeals
FOR THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT

No. 00-1928

John P. Ponder,

Appellant,

v.

Wackenhut Correctional Corporation;
Scott Grimes Unit, Correctional
Facility; Roosevelt Franklin, Jr.,
Correctional Officer, Captain; Larry
Clark, Correctional Officer; Shane
Rogers, Correctional Officer,
Lieutenant; Manscow, Correctional
Officer,

Appellees.

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Appeal from the United States
District Court for the
Eastern District of Arkansas.

[UNPUBLISHED]

Submitted: August 23, 2000
Filed: August 31, 2000

Before BEAM, FAGG, and LOKEN, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM.

John Ponder, an Arkansas prisoner, appeals from the district court's¹ dismissal of his 42 U.S.C. § 1983 complaint, without prejudice and prior to service, for failure to exhaust administrative remedies as required under 42 U.S.C. § 1997e(a). Having carefully reviewed the record, we affirm. See 8th Cir. R. 47B. We deny Ponder's motion for appointment of counsel.

A true copy.

Attest:

CLERK, U.S. COURT OF APPEALS, EIGHTH CIRCUIT.

¹The Honorable George Howard, Jr., United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Arkansas.