

**United States Court of Appeals
FOR THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT**

No. 00-3625

Charles Armstrong,

Appellant,

v.

Johnathan Ford; Nathaniel Murdock;
Midland Manors,

Appellees.

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

(UNPUBLISHED)

Submitted: December 22, 2000

Filed: January 5, 2001

Before McMILLIAN, BOWMAN, and MORRIS SHEPPARD ARNOLD, Circuit
Judges.

PER CURIAM.

Charles Armstrong appeals the district court's¹ order dismissing his pro se civil rights complaint against private-party defendants. After careful review of the record, we conclude that Mr. Armstrong's complaint was frivolous and failed to state a claim. See 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2)(B)(i), (ii); Fed. R. Civ. P. 8(a)(2), (e)(1); Bray v.

¹The Honorable Charles A. Shaw, United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Missouri.

Alexandria Women's Health Clinic, 506 U.S. 263, 267-68 (1993); West v. Atkins, 487 U.S. 42, 48 (1988); Johnson v. Outboard Marine Corp., 172 F.3d 531, 536 (8th Cir. 1999). Accordingly, we affirm. See 8th Cir. R. 47A(a).

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