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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF ARIZONA


Manuel de Jesus Ortega Melendres, et al.)
Plaintiffs,)
vs.)
Joseph M. Arpaio, et al.,)
Defenda nts.)

No. CV 07-02513-PHX-GMS
ORDER

Pending before the Court is a Joint Motion and Stipulation of Plaintiffs and Defendant Maricopa County to Dismiss Maricopa County Without Prejudice (Dkt. # 178). After consideration, and good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED dismissing Defendant Maricopa County from this action without prejudice. Plaintiffs and Defendant Maricopa County shall bear their own attorneys' fees and costs regarding Plaintiffs' claims against Defendant Maricopa County only, but not regarding Plaintiffs' claims against Defendants Joseph M. Arpaio and Maricopa County Sheriff's Office.

Dated this 13th day of October, 2009.



G. Murray Snow
United States District Judge