

NOT FOR PUBLICATION

In the
United States Court of Appeals
For the Eleventh Circuit

No. 25-12535
Non-Argument Calendar

IDA JENNINGS-JONES,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

versus

SYLACAUGA HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY,

d.b.a. Coosa Valley Medical Center,

BAYMARK MANAGEMENT SERVICES INC,

a.k.a. BayMark Health Services,

SPECIALCARE HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT,

f.k.a. SpecialCare Hospital Management Corporation,

Defendants-Appellees,

GLENN C. SISK, et al.,

Defendants.

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Northern District of Alabama
D.C. Docket No. 1:23-cv-01755-CLM

Before LUCK, LAGOA, and BRASHER, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:

Ida Jennings-Jones sued ten of her co-workers and her apparent employer for violating federal and state employment and tort law. She appeals the district court's dismissal of her amended complaint. We lack jurisdiction to consider her substantive arguments because her appeal was untimely.

After the district court dismissed Jennings-Jones's initial complaint, her amended complaint restated her allegations against the hospital and staffing company she apparently worked under. On April 28, 2025, the district court granted each defendant's motion to dismiss in a memorandum opinion and set a May 23 deadline for "one final shot at pleading a complaint that complies with the rules." Doc. 58. Jennings-Jones did not respond. On June 25, the district court entered a separate document dismissing the case without prejudice. Thirty-three days later, on July 28, Jennings-Jones filed a notice of appeal.

In a civil case, we lack jurisdiction over an untimely appeal. *Green v. Drug Enf't Admin.*, 606 F.3d 1296, 1300 (11th Cir. 2010). A party has thirty days from the entry of the challenged judgment or order to file a notice of appeal. Fed. R. App. P. 4(a)(1)(A).

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The clock for Jennings-Jones to appeal began running, at the latest, on June 25, 2025, when the district court entered a separate document dismissing her complaint. Although Jennings-Jones notes that the district court later denied her motion to appeal in forma pauperis on August 7, the deadline for Jennings-Jones to file a notice of appeal challenging the district court's dismissal order was due—again, at the latest—on Friday, July 25. Accordingly, giving Jennings-Jones the benefit of every doubt, her filing with the district court on July 28 was untimely.

DISMISSED.