

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

CASE NO.: 26-CV-80296-MIDDLEBROOKS

JOSEPH KIRCHNER,

Plaintiff,

v.

ALEXANDER ACOSTA,

Defendant.

ORDER DISMISSING CASE

THIS CAUSE is before the Court *sua sponte*. On June 5, 2026, I dismissed Plaintiff's Complaint for failing to comport with the minimum pleading standards under the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. (DE 13). I provided Plaintiff with one opportunity to file a coherent and rule-compliant complaint by no later than June 18, 2026. (*Id.* at 4). No amended complaint appears in the Court record.

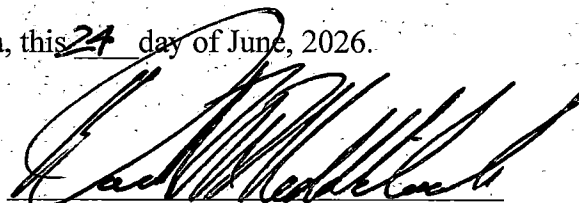
"A district court has inherent authority to manage its own docket 'so as to achieve the orderly and expeditious disposition of cases.'" *Equity Lifestyle Properties, Inc. v. Fla. Mowing and Landscape Serv., Inc.*, 556 F.3d 1232, 1240 (11th Cir. 2009) (quoting *Chambers v. NASCO, Inc.*, 501 U.S. 32, 43 (1991)). As such, "[t]he court may dismiss a claim if the plaintiff fails to prosecute it or comply with a court order." *Id.* (citing Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(b)). "The power to invoke this sanction is necessary in order to prevent undue delays in the disposition of pending cases and to avoid congestion in the calendars of the District Court." *Id.* (citation omitted).

Accordingly, it is hereby **ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that:

1. This case is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**.
2. The Clerk shall **CLOSE THIS CASE**.

3. All pending motions are **DENIED AS MOOT**.

SIGNED in Chambers at West Palm Beach, Florida, this 24 day of June, 2026.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Donald M. Middlebrooks', written over a horizontal line.

DONALD M. MIDDLEBROOKS
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

cc.

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