

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

LATASHA COOK, ET AL.

CIVIL ACTION

VERSUS

NO. 16-11024

BOGALUSA CITY COURT, ET AL.

SECTION "B" (5)

ORDER

Considering "Plaintiffs' Renewed Motion for Class Certification" (Rec. Doc. 68),

IT IS ORDERED that the motion is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE** to give the parties additional time to conduct discovery and pursue, in good faith, an amicable resolution. This dismissal is subject to reconsideration if necessary, but it appears that the case has core issues that preclude certification of a class.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a telephone status conference will be held on Thursday, July 20, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. The parties should be prepared to update the Court on the status of negotiations. Plaintiffs' counsel shall initiate the call into chambers after all parties are on the line.

New Orleans, Louisiana, this 22nd day of June, 2017.



SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE