

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA**

<b>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Plaintiff,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>TASHA MURRAY and MATTIE SMITH,</b>	)	<b>Case No. 1:07-CV-00592</b>
	)	
<b>Intervenor-Plaintiffs,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>vs.</b>	)	
	)	
<b>THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Defendant.</b>	)	

**STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL WITH PREJUDICE**

Intervenor-Plaintiffs, Tasha Murray and Mattie Smith, and Defendant, The University of North Carolina, by and through their respective undersigned counsel of record, each hereby stipulate pursuant to Rule 41(a)(1), F. R. Civ. P., that all claims alleged or which could have been alleged in the respective complaints of the above named intervenor-plaintiffs shall be dismissed with prejudice and that each of the parties hereto shall bear their own respective costs and fees.

This the 23rd day of May, 2008.

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