

**United States Court of Appeals**  
**FOR THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT**

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No. 99-4136

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Charles Edwin Davidson,

Appellant,

v.

Paula Casey, et al.,

Appellees.

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Appeal from the United States  
District Court for the  
Eastern District of Arkansas.

**[UNPUBLISHED]**

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Submitted: February 7, 2001

Filed: February 9, 2001

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Before BOWMAN, BEAM, and LOKEN, Circuit Judges.

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PER CURIAM.

Charles Davidson appeals the district court's<sup>1</sup> order dismissing his suit alleging state and federal claims against several Arkansas public officials and private individuals. Having carefully reviewed the record and the parties' submissions, we conclude Davidson did not state a claim pursuant to the Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations Act, 18 U.S.C. § 1962. Because Davidson asserted no other basis for federal jurisdiction, we also conclude the district court did not abuse its

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<sup>1</sup>The HONORABLE STEPHEN M. REASONER, United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Arkansas.

discretion in declining to exercise supplemental jurisdiction over Davidson's remaining claims. See 28 U.S.C. § 1367(c)(3). Accordingly, we affirm, and we deny all pending motions.

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