

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

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No. 97-2755

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Eddie C. Risdal,

Appellant,

v.

John Emmett; Hill, C/O, sued as I.S.P.  
Guard Hill; Osborn, sued as I.S.P.  
Cert-Team Osborn,

Appellees.

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\* Appeal from the United States  
\* District Court for the  
\* Southern District of Iowa.  
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\* [UNPUBLISHED]  
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Submitted: June 2, 1998  
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Before McMILLIAN, LOKEN, and MURPHY, Circuit Judges.

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PER CURIAM.

Eddie C. Risdal appeals the district court's<sup>1</sup> denial of his motion for a new trial following entry of judgment upon a jury verdict in favor of defendants in Risdal's 42 U.S.C. § 1983 action. Risdal did not submit a transcript, see Fed. R. App. P. 10(b), and to the extent Risdal's arguments are reviewable without a transcript, we believe the

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<sup>1</sup>The Honorable Charles R. Wolle, Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Southern District of Iowa.

district court did not abuse its discretion in denying Risdal's motion for a new trial, see Gray v. Bicknell, 86 F.3d 1472, 1480-81 (8th Cir. 1996). See 8th Cir. R. 47B.

Accordingly, we affirm the judgment of the district court.

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