IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
VALDOSTA DIVISION

NORA JEAN STYLES, *as Administrator for and on Behalf of the Estate of deceased Stephen Styles, Jr.,*	:	
Plaintiff,	:	CASE NO.: 7:20-CV-41(WLS)
v.	:	
BROOKS COUNTY, GEORGIA *et al.*,	:	
Defendants.	:	

ORDER

Plaintiff Nora Jean Styles filed a Complaint on March 9, 2020. (Doc. 1.) A summons for each Defendant was issued on May 28, 2020. (Docs. 3–7.) The time for service has lapsed and Plaintiff has not provided the Court with any indication that service of process has been properly executed upon the Defendants in this action. The Court ordered the Plaintiff to show cause no later than Tuesday, July 21, 2020, why the Complaint should not be dismissed for failure to serve the Defendants. The Court noticed Plaintiff that failure to respond or comply with the Court's order will subject Plaintiff's Complaint to dismissal without prejudice, without further notice or proceeding.

To date, Plaintiff has failed to respond or comply with this Court's Order. Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 4(m) states that "[i]f a defendant is not served within 90 days after the complaint is filed, the court—on motion or on its own after notice to the plaintiff—must dismiss the action without prejudice." FED. R. CIV. P. 4(m). Accordingly, Plaintiff's Complaint is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE** for failure to serve the Defendants.

SO ORDERED, this 31st day of July, 2020.

/s/ W. Louis Sands
W. LOUIS SANDS, SR. JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT