## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

VICTOR CARL HONEY,

Plaintiff,

v.

UNITED STATES MARSHALS SERVICE,

Civil Action No. 12-1992 (JEB)

Defendant.

## **MEMORANDUM OPINION**

Plaintiff Victor Honey filed a three-sentence *pro se* Complaint in D.C. Superior Court on October 4, 2012. He alleged that the United States Marshals Service abused process in connection with a landlord-tenant case in Superior Court. <u>See</u> ECF No. 1 (Notice of Removal), Attach. 2 (Complaint). After USMS removed the case to this Court, it filed a Motion to Dismiss. <u>See</u> ECF No. 4. On January 17, 2013, the Court issued a Minute Order directing Plaintiff to respond to the Motion by February 8 or risk the Court's deeming the matter conceded. When Plaintiff failed to do so, the Court issued a longer Order citing <u>Fox v. Strickland</u>, 837 F.2d 507 (D.C. Cir. 1988), and instructing Plaintiff to file a response by March 6 or risk dismissal. <u>See</u> ECF No. 6. Plaintiff has still not responded.

The Court will, therefore, treat the Motion as conceded and dismiss the case without prejudice. A contemporaneous Order will so state.

<u>/s/ James E. Boasberg</u> JAMES E. BOASBERG United States District Judge

Date: March 11, 2013