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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE AT KNOXVILLE





PRYOR OIL CO., INC.,)	Lance of the second
Plaintiff,)	
v.)	No. 3:02-CV-679
)	Judge Phillips
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
Defendant.)	

UNITED STATES' MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

Defendant, United States of America, by and through Harry S. Mattice, Jr., United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Tennessee, moves the Court, pursuant to Rule 56, Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, for entry of summary judgment in its favor and against plaintiff Pryor Oil Co., Inc. (Pryor). The grounds for this motion are set forth fully in the Memorandum in Support of United States' Cross-Motion for Summary Judgment and in Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion for Summary Judgment, filed on September 12, 2003.

Based upon the reasoning and authority discussed in the above-referenced memorandum and the administrative record filed in this action, United States requests that the Court grant its motion for summary judgment and dismiss Pryor's complaint.

Respectfully submitted,

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