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| 12 | SANG MIN KIM, Case No. CV 12-00037 GAF (AN) |
| 13 | Petitioner, |
| 14 | v. AND RECOMMENDATION OF THE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE |
| 15 | MATTHEW CATE, Secretary CDCR,) et al., |
| 16 | Respondents. |
| 17 | Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636, the Court has reviewed the file, including the |
| 18 19 | Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation ("R&R") and Petitioner's Objections |
| 20 | [36]. Further, the Court has completed a <i>de novo</i> review of those portions of the R&R |
| 21 | to which Petitioner has objected. |
| 22 | Based on its review, the Court finds the Objections reiterate arguments made in |
| 23 | the First Amended Petition, and those arguments were correctly rejected in the R&R. |
| 24 | Additionally, as to Petitioner's insufficient evidence claims, he has used his Objections |
| 25 | to continue his efforts to re-try his case by highlighting evidence ostensibly favorable |
| 26 | to the defense and attempting to contradict inferences drawn by the jury. The Court, |
| 27 | therefore, reiterates the finding in the R&R that a reviewing court "faced with a record |
| 28 | of historical facts that supports conflicting inferences must presume - even if it does |
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| 1 | not affirmatively appear in the record - that the trier of fact resolved any such conflicts |
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| 2 | in favor of the prosecution, and must defer to that resolution." Jackson v. Virginia, 443 |
| 3 | U.S. 307, 326, 99 S. Ct. 2781 (1979). |
| 4 | IT IS ORDERED that: |
| 5 | 1. The Objections are overruled and the Court accepts the findings and |
| 6 | recommendation of the R&R. |
| 7 | 2. Judgment shall be entered denying the First Amended Petition and |
| 8 | dismissing this action with prejudice. |
| 9 | 3. All pending motions are denied as moot and terminated. |
| 10 | IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the clerk of the Court shall serve a copy of this |
| 11 | Order and the Judgment on all counsel or parties of record. |
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| 14 | Dated: February 27, 2013 GARY A. FEESS |
| 15 | UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE |
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