IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA NORTHERN DIVISION

| EDWARD RIDLEY, #276808, |) | |
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| Petitioner, |) | |
| v. |) | CIVIL ACTION NO. 2:11cv518-TMH |
| GARY HETZEL, et al., |) | |
| Respondents. |) | |

ORDER AND OPINION

On August 29, 2011, the Magistrate Judge filed a Recommendation in this case to which no timely objections have been filed. (Doc. # 4). Upon an independent review of the file in this case and upon consideration of the Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge, it is

ORDERED and ADJUDGED that the Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge be and is hereby ADOPTED and that the 28 U.S.C. § 2254 petition for habeas corpus relief filed by Ridley is DENIED and that this case is DISMISSED for lack of jurisdiction.

Done this the 20th day of September, 2011.

/s/ Truman M. Hobbs

SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE