

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

LARRY DEAN MAPLES,	)	
	)	
Petitioner,	)	
	)	
vs.	)	Case No. 5:12-cv-1712-JFG-TMP
	)	
TONY PATTERSON, Warden; and the	)	
ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE STATE	)	
OF ALABAMA,	)	
	)	
Respondents.	)	

**MEMORANDUM OPINION**

On November 21, 2013 , the magistrate judge filed his report and recommendation in the above-styled cause, recommending that this petition for *habeas corpus* relief filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 be denied and dismissed. To date, no objections have been filed by either party.

Having now carefully reviewed and considered *de novo* all the materials in the court file, including the report and recommendation, the Court is of the opinion that the report is due to be and hereby is **ADOPTED**, and the recommendation is **ACCEPTED**. Consequently, the petition for writ of *habeas corpus* filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 in the above-styled cause is due to be and the same is hereby **DENIED** and **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE**.

**DONE**, this 17th day of December, 2013.

*Sharon Lovelace Blackburn*

SHARON LOVELACE BLACKBURN  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE