

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

<b>MICHAEL D. PETERSON,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Petitioner,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>v.</b>	)	<b>Case No. 5:14-cv-86-RDP-TMP</b>
	)	
<b>DEWAYNE ESTES, Warden; and the</b>	)	
<b>ATTORNEY GENERAL OF</b>	)	
<b>THE STATE OF ALABAMA,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Respondents.</b>	)	

**MEMORANDUM OPINION**

On July 28, 2015, the Magistrate Judge filed his Report and Recommendation, recommending that this petition for *habeas corpus* relief filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 be denied and dismissed. (Doc. 8). Petitioner has not filed any objections. 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* is due to be denied and dismissed with prejudice. A separate final judgment will be entered.

The Clerk is **DIRECTED** to mail a copy of this Memorandum Opinion to Petitioner.

**DONE** and **ORDERED** this August 18, 2015.



**R. DAVID PROCTOR**  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE