

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS  
EASTERN DIVISION**

BILLY GENE RIPPEE,  
Reg. #22906-044

PETITIONER

v. No. 2:17CV00017-JLH

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

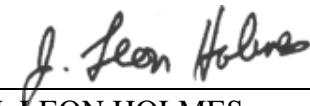
RESPONDENT

**ORDER**

The Court has reviewed the Proposed Findings and Recommended Disposition submitted by United States Magistrate Judge Joe J. Volpe and the Petitioner's objections. After carefully considering the objections and making a *de novo* review of the record in this case, the Court concludes that the Proposed Findings and Recommended Disposition should be, and hereby are, approved and adopted in their entirety as this Court's findings in all respects.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Billy Gene Rippee's Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus is DISMISSED. Document #1.

DATED this 28th day of February, 2017.

  
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J. LEON HOLMES  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE