IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS PINE BLUFF DIVISION

KYRON WATKINS ADC #122441

PETITIONER

V.

5:11cv00217 JMM-JTR

RAY HOBBS, Director, Arkansas Department of Correction RESPONDENT

ORDER

Respondent has filed a Response (docket entry #6) arguing that Petitioner's 28 U.S.C. § 2254 habeas claims are barred by the one-year statute of limitations, are procedurally defaulted due to Petitioner's failure to properly raise them in state court, or were reasonably adjudicated by the state courts. A Reply to the Response would be helpful to resolution of this action.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT Petitioner is directed to file, on or **before October 28, 2011,** a Reply addressing the arguments for dismissal raised in the Response.

DATED THIS 28th DAY OF September, 2011.

TES MAGISTRATE JUDGE UNITED