the denial of a constitutional right and, therefore, a certificate of

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appealability is denied. See 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(2); Fed. R. App. P. 22(b); Miller-El v. Cockrell, 537 U.S. 322, 336 (2003). DATED: <u>January 4, 2017</u>. TRICT JUDGE 

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