1 2 3 4 5 6 7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 8 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 9 10 KINZIE GENE NOORDMAN, Case No. ED CV 09-0409 JFW (JCG) 11 Petitioner, 12 ORDER ACCEPTING REPORT AND v. 13 STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE AND DENYING CERTIFICATE OF MATTHEW CATE, Secretary, California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, 14 15 Respondent. 16 17 Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636, the Court has reviewed the Petition, the 18 19 Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation, Petitioner's Objections to the Report and Recommendation, and the remaining record, and has made a *de novo* 20 21 determination. 22 Petitioner's Objections reiterate the arguments made in the Petition and 23 Reply (in many instances verbatim), and lack merit for the reasons set forth in the 24 Report and Recommendation. 25 Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED THAT: 1. The Report and Recommendation is approved and accepted; 26 2. Judgment be entered denying the Petition and dismissing this action 27 28 with prejudice; and

3. The Clerk serve copies of this Order on the parties.

Additionally, for the reasons stated in the Report and Recommendation, the Court finds that Petitioner has not made a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right. See 28 U.S.C. § 2253; Fed. R. App. P. 22(b); Miller-El v. Cockrell, 537 U.S. 322, 336 (2003). Thus, the Court declines to issue a certificate of appealability.

DATED: June 25, 2012

HON. JOHN F. WALTER UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE