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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA - SOUTHERN DIVISION**

RONALD MELENDEZ,	)	NO. SA CV 16-00885-VBF (AS)
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Petitioner,	)	<b>ORDER ACCEPTING FINDINGS,</b>
	)	<b>CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF</b>
v.	)	<b>UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE</b>
RAYMOND MADDEN, Warden,	)	
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Respondent.	)	
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Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. section 636, the Court has reviewed the Petition, all of the records herein and the attached Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge to which no objections were filed. Accordingly, the Court concurs with and accepts the findings and conclusions of the Magistrate Judge.

IT IS ORDERED that Judgment be entered denying and dismissing the Petition with prejudice.

1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk serve copies of this Order,  
2 the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation and the Judgment herein  
3 on counsel for Petitioner and counsel for Respondent.  
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5 LET JUDGMENT BE ENTERED ACCORDINGLY.  
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7 Dated: January 19, 2017



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9 VALERIE FAIRBANK BAKER  
10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
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