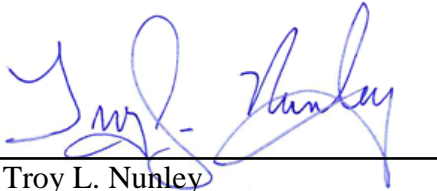


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2. The Court finds Claim 19 is premature and is dismissed without prejudice to its renewal after an execution date is set.
3. The Court finds the allegations in Claim 27 relating to Billy Mackey and Michael Johnson are not exhausted and are dismissed.
4. The Court finds consideration of the allegation in Claim 34 that state habeas counsel was ineffective is deferred until the consideration of any procedural default issues.
5. The Court finds petitioner has failed to satisfy section 2254(d) for the remaining claims and subclaims in the amended petition and habeas relief on those claims and subclaims is denied.
6. This matter is referred back to the assigned magistrate judge for further proceedings.

Dated: March 18, 2019



Troy L. Nunley
United States District Judge