UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA TAMPA DIVISION

RICHARD EATMAN,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 8:10-cv-1370-T-33EAJ

FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION, in its capacity as Receiver for Colonial Bank,

Defendant.

ORDER

This matter is before the Court on consideration of United States Magistrate Judge Elizabeth A. Jenkins' Report and Recommendation (Doc. # 34), entered on May 20, 2011, which recommends that Defendant's Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff's Complaint for Lack of Subject Matter Jurisdiction (Doc. # 10) be granted.

As of this date, there are no objections to the report and recommendation, and the time for the parties to file such objections has elapsed.

After conducting a careful and complete review of the findings and recommendations, a district judge may accept, reject or modify the magistrate judge's report and recommendation. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); <u>Williams v. Wainwright</u>,

681 F.2d 732 (11th Cir. 1982), <u>cert.</u> <u>denied</u>, 459 U.S. 1112 (1983). In the absence of specific objections, there is no requirement that a district judge review factual findings *de novo*, <u>Garvey v. Vaughn</u>, 993 F.2d 776, 779 n.9 (11th Cir. 1993), and the court may accept, reject or modify, in whole or in part, the findings and recommendations. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(C). The district judge reviews legal conclusions *de novo*, even in the absence of an objection. <u>See Cooper-Houston</u> <u>v. S. Ry. Co.</u>, 37 F.3d 603, 604 (11th Cir. 1994); <u>Castro</u> <u>Bobadilla v. Reno</u>, 826 F. Supp. 1428, 1431-32 (S.D. Fla. 1993), <u>aff'd</u>, 28 F.3d 116 (11th Cir. 1994) (Table).

After conducting a careful and complete review of the findings, conclusions and recommendations, and giving *de novo* review to matters of law, the Court accepts the factual findings and legal conclusions of the Magistrate Judge and the recommendation of the Magistrate Judge regarding the motion.

Accordingly, it is now

ORDERED, ADJUDGED, and DECREED:

- United States Magistrate Elizabeth A. Jenkins' Report and Recommendation (Doc. # 34) is ACCEPTED and ADOPTED.
- Defendant's Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff's Complaint for Lack of Subject Matter Jurisdiction (Doc. # 10) is GRANTED. Plaintiff's claims are dismissed pursuant to

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Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(b)(1) for lack of subject matter jurisdiction.

3. The Clerk is directed to close this case.

DONE and ORDERED in Tampa, Florida, this <u>14th</u> day of June, 2011.

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VIRCINIA M. HERNANDEZ COVINGTON UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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