UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA TAMPA DIVISION

CARISSA HICKEL,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 8:11-Cv-2861-T-24 EAJ

MICHAEL J. ASTRUE, Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant.

<u>O R D E R</u>

This cause comes before the Court for consideration of Plaintiff's complaint seeking review of the decision of the Commissioner of the Social Security Administration (Doc. No. 1). This complaint was considered by the United States Magistrate Judge, pursuant to a specific order of referral. Magistrate Judge Jenkins has filed her report recommending that the Commissioner's decision be affirmed and that judgment be entered in favor of Defendant. (Doc. No. 11). All parties were furnished copies of the Report and Recommendation and were afforded the opportunity to file objections pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1). Objections to the Magistrate's Report were filed by Plaintiff, and Defendant filed a response to the objections. (Doc. No. 12, 13).

Upon consideration of the Report and Recommendation and Plaintiff's objections thereto, and upon this Court's independent examination of the file, it is determined that the Report and Recommendation (Doc. No. 11) should be adopted.

Accordingly, it is now **ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that

- The Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation (Doc. No. 11) is adopted and incorporated by reference in this Order of the Court;
- (2) The decision of the Commissioner of the United States Social Security Administration is AFFIRMED; and
- (3) The Clerk is directed to enter judgment in favor of Defendant, to terminate all pending motions, and to close the case.

DONE AND ORDERED at Tampa, Florida, this 15th day of January, 2013.

[Ducklen

SUSAN C. BUCKLEW United States District Judge

Copies to: The Honorable Elizabeth A. Jenkins Counsel of Record