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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA PENSACOLA DIVISION

CHARLES LITTON MORRIS,

Petitioner,

v. Case No. 3:16cv40/LC/CJK

JULIE L. JONES,

Respondent.

## **ORDER**

This cause comes on for consideration upon the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation dated October 25, 2017. (Doc. 43). The parties have been furnished a copy of the Report and Recommendation and have been afforded an opportunity to file objections pursuant to Title 28, United States Code, Section 636(b)(1). I have made a *de novo* determination of those portions to which an objection has been made.

Having considered the Report and Recommendation and all objections thereto,

I have determined that the Report and Recommendation should be adopted.

Accordingly, it is ORDERED:

1. The Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation (doc. 43) is adopted

and incorporated by reference in this order.

2. The petition for writ of habeas corpus (doc. 1), challenging petitioner's

judgment and sentence in State of Florida v. Charles Litton Morris, Escambia County

Circuit Court Case No. 12-CF-3094, is DENIED.

3. The clerk is directed to close the file.

4. A certificate of appealability is DENIED.

**ORDERED** on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2017.

s/L.A. Collier

LACEY A. COLLIER SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE