

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

WILLIAM JOFFRE REED,

Petitioner,

v.

Case No. 3:22cv20888-MCR-HTC

RICKY DIXON,

Respondent.

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**ORDER**

This cause comes on for consideration upon the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation dated March 1, 2024 (ECF No. 18). 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 all timely filed objections.

Having considered the Report and Recommendation, and any objections thereto timely filed, I have determined that the Report and Recommendation should be adopted.

Accordingly, it is now **ORDERED** as follows:

1. The Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation is adopted and incorporated by reference in this order.

2. The Petition, challenging the conviction in *State v. Reed*, 2017 CF 1766, in the First Judicial District, in and for Okaloosa County, Florida, ECF Doc. 1, is DENIED without an evidentiary hearing.

3. A certificate of appealability is **DENIED**.

4. The clerk is directed to close the file for this case.

**DONE AND ORDERED** this 4<sup>th</sup> day of June 2024.

*M. Casey Rodgers*

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**M. CASEY RODGERS**  
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**