

**In the United States District Court
For the Southern District Of Georgia
Brunswick Division**

ADRIAN RICE,

Petitioner,

v.

J.V. FLOURNOY,

Respondent.

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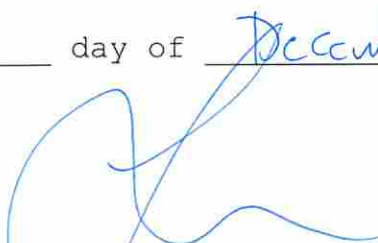
CIVIL ACTION NO.: 2:17-cv-40

ORDER

Presently before the Court is the Magistrate Judge's October 26, 2017, Report and Recommendation, dkt. no. 12, to which the parties have not filed any objections. After an independent and *de novo* review of the entire record, the Court **CONCURS** with the Magistrate Judge, and **ADOPTS** the Report and Recommendation as the opinion of the Court. Consequently, the Court **GRANTS** Respondent's Motion to Dismiss, dkt. no. 9, and **DISMISSES** Petitioner's Petition for writ of habeas corpus, filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2241. Additionally, the Court **DENIES** Petitioner leave to appeal *in forma pauperis*.

The Court **DIRECTS** the Clerk of Court to enter the appropriate judgment of dismissal and to **CLOSE** this case.

SO ORDERED, this 4 day of December, 2017.



HON. LISA GODBEY WOOD, JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA