In the United States District Court For the Southern District of Georgia Waycross Division

SIMON PETER WARREN,

Plaintiff,

CIVIL ACTION NO.: 5:16-cv-101

v.

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WILLIAM STEEDLEY

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Defendant.

ORDER

After an independent and *de novo* review of the entire record, the Court concurs with the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation, (dkt. no. 8), to which Plaintiff failed to file Objections. Accordingly, the Court ADOPTS the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation as the opinion of the Court.

The Court DISMISSES Plaintiff's Complaint based on his failure to state a claim. The Court also DENIES Plaintiff leave to proceed in forma pauperis on appeal.

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

so ordered, this ______ day of/

ay of Junuary, 2017.

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