

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

RODERICK TAYLOR,
Petitioner,

v.

No. 3:16-cv-00711-DRH

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Respondent.

ORDER

HERNDON, District Judge:

Pending before the Court is petitioner Roderick Taylor's motion to stay proceedings (Doc. 9). There has been no response to this motion within the 14-day time period allotted by Local Rule 7.1. See SDIL-LR 7.1(c). Therefore, silence on behalf of respondent is "considered an admission of the merits of the motion." *Id.* Accordingly, petitioner's motion to stay proceedings (Doc. 9) is **GRANTED.**

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Signed this 17th day of May, 2017.


Judge Herndon
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE