UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

ERNEST BILLIZONE, SR.

CIVIL ACTION

SECTION: "F"(3)

NO. 16-12659

VERSUS

STATE OF LOUISIANA

<u>ORDER</u>

The Court, having considered the petition, the record, the applicable law and the Report and Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge, and the failure of any party to file any objection to the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation, hereby approves the Report and Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge and adopts it as its own opinion. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that the federal application for habeas corpus relief filed by Ernest Billizone, Sr., is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**.

New Orleans, Louisiana, this 25th day of January, 2017.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE