

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

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LAWRENCE L. ODOM, JR. (#101288)

CIVIL ACTION

VERSUS

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NO. 09-96-JJB-DLD


N. BURL CAIN, WARDEN

**RULING**

The court has carefully considered the petition, the record, the law applicable to this action, and the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge Docia L. Dalby dated August 6, 2009 (doc. no. 10). The plaintiff has filed an objection which the court has considered and finds that it lacks any merit.

The court hereby approves the report and recommendation of the magistrate judge and adopts it as the court's opinion herein. Accordingly, the petitioner's application for habeas corpus relief is DISMISSED as untimely.

Baton Rouge, Louisiana, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2009.

  
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JAMES J. BRADY, JUDGE  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA