UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

JOHN DARREL BANKS

VERSUS

CIVIL ACTION

NO. 13-189-JJB-RLB

CAROLYN W. COLVIN, ACTING COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY

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 Richard L. Bourgeois, Jr. dated August 29, 2014 (doc. no. 14) to which no objection has been filed.

Therefore, the court hereby approves the report and recommendation of the magistrate judge and adopts it as the court's opinion herein. Accordingly, the Commissioner's decision is AFFIRMED and plaintiff's appeal is DISMISSED with prejudice.

Baton Rouge, Louisiana, this 17th day of September, 2014.

JAMES J. BRADY, JUDGE

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