

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

JOEL G. PORTER

CIVIL ACTION

VERSUS

NO. 16-00121-JJB-RLB

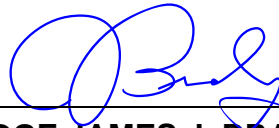
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RULING

The Court, after carefully considering the *Petitions*,¹ the record, the law applicable to this action, and the *Report and Recommendation*² of the United States Magistrate Judge Richard L. Bourgeois dated May 31, 2016, to which an *Objection*³ has been filed and considered, hereby approves the *Report and Recommendation* of the Magistrate Judge and adopts it as the Court's opinion herein.

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiff Joel G. Porter's *Motion to Remand*⁴ is DENIED.

Signed in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, on October 18, 2016.



JUDGE JAMES J. BRADY
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

¹ Doc. 1-3 (*Original Petition for Damages*); Doc. 1-5 (*Superseding, Supplemental and Amended Petition for Damages*).

² Doc. 23.

³ Doc. 26.

⁴ Doc. 6.