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WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

ALEXANDRIA DIVISION

GERALD D. THIBODEAUX

CIVIL ACTION NO. 12-2157

VERSUS

JUDGE TRIMBLE

TIMOTHY KEITH, WARDEN

MAGISTRATE JUDGE KIRK

JUDGMENT

For the reasons stated in the Report and Recommendation of the magistrate judge previously filed in the above-captioned case, and after an independent review of the record, including the objections filed by petitioner, and determining that the findings of the magistrate judge are correct under applicable law; it is hereby

ORDERED that the petitioner's petition for habeas corpus be DENIED and DISMISSED with prejudice based upon the finding that petitioner's claims are barred by the one-year limitation period codified at 28 U.S.C. §2244(d).

THUS DONE AND SIGNED in chambers at Alexandria, Louisiana this 3 day of April, 2013.

/JAMES T. TRIMBLE, JR.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE