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WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
ALEXANDRIA, LOUISIANA

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
ALEXANDRIA DIVISION

ERIC NICHOLS,
Plaintiff

CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:18-CV-00441

VERSUS

JUDGE DRELL

WRIGHT NATIONAL FLOOD
INSURANCE CO.,
Defendant

MAGISTRATE JUDGE PEREZ-MONTES

JUDGMENT

For the reasons contained in the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein, noting the absence of objections thereto, and concurring with the Magistrate Judge's findings under the applicable law;

IT IS ORDERED that Defendants' Motion to Dismiss (Doc. 7) is GRANTED. Nichols's state law claims are DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE, as Nichols's claims under state law are preempted. Nichols's sole remaining claim is for breach of contract of the SFIP policy. 42 U.S.C. § 4072.

THUS ORDERED AND SIGNED in chambers in Alexandria, Louisiana on this

13th day of January, 2019.



DEE D. DRELL, JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT