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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
LAKE CHARLES DIVISION

ERIC L PICKENS

CIVIL ACTION NO. 2:10-cv-1449

VS.

JUDGE TRIMBLE

WARDEN AVOYELLES
CORRECTIONAL CENTER

MAGISTRATE JUDGE KAY

JUDGMENT

For the reasons stated in the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein, and after an independent review of the record, determining that the findings are correct under the applicable law, and considering the lack of objections to the Report and Recommendation in the record;

IT IS ORDERED that the petition for *habeas corpus* be **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** because petitioner's claims are barred by the one-year limitation period pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2244(d).

THUS DONE AND SIGNED, in chambers, in Lake Charles, Louisiana, on this 18th day of July, 2011.

[Signature]
JAMES T. TRIMBLE, JR.
U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE