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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
LAKE CHARLES DIVISION

RANDAL C. CURTIS

Plaintiff

V.

WARDEN HOWARD PRINCE

Defendant

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CIVIL ACTION NO. 2:12-CV-2561

SECTION P

JUDGE PATRICIA MINALDI

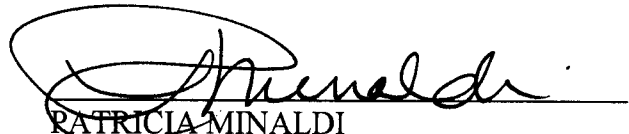
MAG. JUDGE KATHLEEN KAY

ORDER

For the reasons stated in the Report and Recommendation [Doc. 19] of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein, after an independent review of the record, a *de novo* determination of the issues, and having determined that the findings are correct under applicable law,

IT IS ORDERED that the plaintiff's application for a writ of *habeas corpus* be and hereby is **DENIED**, and **DISMISSED, WITH PREJUDICE**.

Lake Charles, Louisiana, this 3 day of July, 2014.


PATRICIA MINALDI
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE