

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
LAKE CHARLES DIVISION

JOE JOSEPH
D.O.C. # 103885

v.

KEITH COOLEY

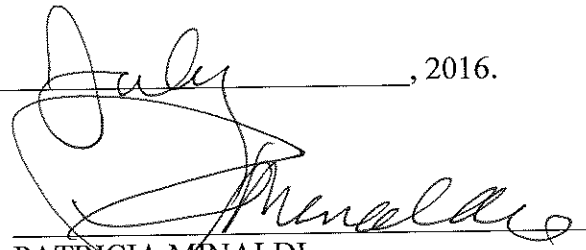
* CIVIL ACTION NO. 2:16-cv-280
* SECTION P
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* JUDGE MINALDI
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* MAGISTRATE JUDGE KAY

JUDGMENT

For the reasons stated in the Report and Recommendation (Rec. Doc. 8) 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 instant action is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE** because the instant petition constitutes a second or successive habeas petition within the meaning of 28 U.S.C. § 2244(b) filed without prior authorization of the United States Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals.

Lake Charles, Louisiana, this 7 day of July, 2016.



PATRICIA MINALDI
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE