

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA  
SHREVEPORT DIVISION

JAMES E. MASON, JR.

\* CIVIL ACTION NO. 5:16-cv-570  
"Sec. P"

VERSUS

\* JUDGE ELIZABETH E. FOOTE

DARREL VANNOY

\* MAG. JUDGE KAREN L. HAYES

**J U D G M E N T**

The Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge having been considered, together with the written objections thereto filed with this Court, and, after a *de novo* review of the record, finding that the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation is correct and that judgment as recommended therein is warranted,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that James E. Mason, Jr.'s Petition for Writ of *Habeas Corpus* under 28 U.S.C. § 2254, [doc. # 1], is hereby **DENIED and DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE.**

Shreveport, Louisiana, this 20th day of February, 2018

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ELIZABETH E. FOOTE  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

