UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA LAFAYETTE DIVISION

Rita Ballesteros Civil Action No. 11-cv-2030

versus Judge Tucker L. Melançon

Michael J. Astrue, Magistrate Judge Hanna

Commissioner of Social Security

JUDGMENT

This matter was referred to United States Magistrate Judge Patrick J. Hanna for Report and Recommendation. After an independent review of the record and the applicable jurisprudence, and noting the absence of objections, the Court concludes that the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge is correct, and therefore adopts the findings of fact and conclusions of law set out therein as its own. Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the decision of the Commissioner of the Social Security Administration is **AFFIRMED** and that this action be **DISMISSED** with prejudice.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED in Lafayette, Louisiana, this 26th day of December, 2012.

Tucker L. Melançon | UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE