\$ 636 and applicable case law. Accordingly, the Court hereby

ADOPTS AND ACCEPTS the Report and Recommendation of the United

States Magistrate Judge (ECF No. 15). Therefore, plaintiff's

motion for remand (ECF No. 12) is denied, defendant's cross-motion

to affirm (ECF No. 13) is granted, and the decision of the

Commissioner is affirmed. The Clerk of the Court shall enter

judgment accordingly.

## IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: This 11th day of June, 2018.

Howard DM: Killen

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE