

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SHAWN WOODWARD,

Plaintiff,

-v-

9:13-CV-1304
(DNH/DJS)

DR. ALI, Muslim Chaplain, Cossackie
Correctional Facility; DANIEL F.
MARTUSCELLO, Superintendent,
Cossackie Correctional Facility; and
STEVENSON, C.O.,

Defendants.

APPEARANCES:

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DAVID N. HURD
United States District Judge

DECISION and ORDER

Pro se plaintiff Shawn Woodward brought this civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. On or about March 18, 2019, the parties consented to have this action

referred to the Honorable Daniel J. Stewart, United States Magistrate Judge. See 28 U.S.C. § 636(c). The case was thereafter scheduled for trial beginning on July 22, 2019 in front of Magistrate Judge Stewart. Plaintiff has since requested to withdraw that consent. Dkt. 194, 197.

On June 7, 2019, Magistrate Judge Stewart advised by Report-Recommendation that plaintiff's motion to vacate the consent to proceed before him be denied. Plaintiff filed objections to the Report-Recommendation.

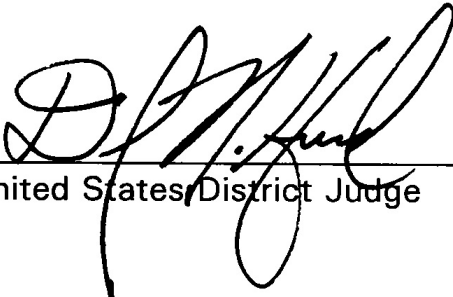
Based upon a de novo review of the portions of the Report-Recommendation to which plaintiff objected, the Report-Recommendation is accepted and adopted in all respects. See 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1).

Therefore, it is

ORDERED that

Plaintiff's motion to vacate the consent to proceed before United States Magistrate Judge Daniel J. Stewart is DENIED.

IT IS SO ORDERED.


United States District Judge

Dated: July 3, 2019
Utica, New York.