

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WESTERN DIVISION

KIMBERLY HAYES, )  
Plaintiff, )  
v. )  
CAROLYN W. COLVIN, Acting Commissioner )  
of Social Security, )  
Defendant. )

**JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL CASE**

**CASE NO. 5:15-CV-253-D**

**Decision by Court.**

This action came before this Court for ruling as follows.

**IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED** that plaintiffs objections to the M&R [D.E. 26] are **OVERRULED**, plaintiffs motion for judgment on the pleadings [D.E. 17] is **DENIED**, defendant's motion for summary judgment [D.E. 19] is **GRANTED**, defendant's final decision is **AFFIRMED**, and this action is **DISMISSED**. The clerk shall close the case.

**This Judgment Filed and Entered on August 11, 2016, and Copies To:**

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DATE:  
August 11, 2016

JULIE RICHARDS JOHNSTON, CLERK  
(By) /s/ Nicole Briggeman  
Deputy Clerk