

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WESTERN DIVISION

SAMANTHA A. BATTLE, )  
Plaintiff, )  
v. )  
NANCY A. BERRYHILL, Acting Commissioner )  
of Social Security, )  
Defendant. )

**JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL CASE**

**CASE NO. 5:15-CV-537-D**

**Decision by Court.**

This action came before this Court for ruling as follows.

**IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED** that the court adopts the M&R and overrules the objections. Plaintiff's objections to the M&R [D.E. 21] are **OVERRULED**, plaintiff's motion for judgment on the pleadings [D.E. 15] is **DENIED**, defendant's motion for judgment on the pleadings [D.E. 17] is **GRANTED**, defendant's final decision is **AFFIRMED**, and this action is **DISMISSED**.

**This Judgment Filed and Entered on February 28, 2017, and Copies To:**

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DATE:  
February 28, 2017

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(By) /s/ Nicole Briggeman  
Deputy Clerk