

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

SCOTT A. MERY, )  
 )  
 Plaintiff, )  
 )  
 v. )  
 )  
 CAROLYN W. COLVIN, Acting Commissioner )  
 of Social Security, )  
 Defendant. )

**JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL CASE**  
**CASE NO. 7:15-CV-104-FL**

**Decision by Court.**

This action came before the Honorable Louise W. Flanagan, United States District Judge, for consideration of the parties’ cross-motions for judgment on the pleadings and the memorandum and recommendation entered by the United States Magistrate Judge, to which plaintiff timely objected, and defendant did not respond.

**IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED** in accordance with the court’s order entered August 30, 2016, and for the reasons set forth therein, the court adopted the memorandum and recommendations, plaintiff’s motion for judgment on the pleadings is denied and defendant’s motion for judgment on the pleadings is granted. The decision of the commissioner is upheld.

**This Judgment Filed and Entered on August 30, 2016, and Copies To:**

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DATE:  
August 30, 2016

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