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[Fed. R. Civ. P. 72\(b\)\(2\)](#) provides that objections to a report and recommendation must be filed within 14 days after service.¹ On February 4, 2019, Plaintiff filed a Response to the Report and Recommendation ([ECF No. 17](#)), stating that Plaintiff will not be filing objections. Furthermore, the Commissioner has not filed any objections, evidencing satisfaction with the magistrate judge's recommendations. Any further review by this Court would be a duplicative and inefficient use of the Court's limited resources. [Thomas v. Arn](#), 728 F.2d 813 (6th Cir. 1984), *aff'd*, 474 U.S. 140 (1985); [Howard v. Secretary of Health and Human Services](#), 932 F.2d 505 (6th Cir. 1991); [United States v. Walters](#), 638 F.2d 947, 949-50 (6th Cir. 1981).

Accordingly, the Report and Recommendation of the magistrate judge is hereby adopted. The decision of the Commissioner of Social Security is affirmed. Judgment will be entered in favor of Defendant.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

February 7, 2019
Date

/s/ Benita Y. Pearson
Benita Y. Pearson
United States District Judge

¹ On December 26, 2018, this matter was stayed due to the lapse of congressional appropriations funding the federal government. See [General Order 2018-15](#). The stay was thereafter extended pursuant to [General Order 2019-1](#). On January 25, 2019, the stay expired when the federal government reopened for three weeks.