UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

) CASE NO. 5:24-CV-578
)) JUDGE CHARLES E. FLEMING
) MAGISTRATE JUDGE CARMEN E.) HENDERSON
) HERBERSON
OPINION AND ORDER ADOPTING
) MAGISTRATE'S REPORT AND
RECOMMENDATION

On March 28, 2025, Plaintiff Felicia M. Brown filed a complaint seeking judicial review of Defendant Commissioner of Social Security's decision to deny her application for disability insurance benefits. (ECF No. 1). On November 7, 2024, Magistrate Judge Carmen E. Henderson issued a Report and Recommendation (R&R) indicating that the Court should affirm the final decision of the Commissioner. (ECF No. 12).

Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b)(2) provides that the parties may object to an R&R within fourteen (14) days after service. The R&R also notified the parties that failure to file any objections within that time may result in forfeiture of the ability to appeal the Court's decision. (ECF No. 12). As of the date of this decision, neither party has filed any objections.

Under the Federal Magistrates Act, a district court must conduct a *de novo* review of those portions of the R&R to which the parties have objected. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b)(3). Absent objection, a district court may adopt an R&R without further review.

Accordingly, the Court **ADOPTS** the Magistrate Judge's R&R, incorporates it fully herein by reference, and **AFFIRMS** the final decision of the Commissioner.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date: November 25, 2024

CHARLES E. FLEMING UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Charles Fleming