

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
WESTERN DIVISION AT CINCINNATI**

ELWOOD H. JONES,

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Petitioner,

Case No. 1:17-cv-29

- vs -

District Judge Walter Herbert Rice  
Magistrate Judge Michael R. Merz

WARDEN, Chillicothe Correctional Institution,

Respondent.

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**ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS**

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The Court has reviewed the Report and Recommendations of United States Magistrate Judge Michael R. Merz (ECF No. 10), to whom this case was referred pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b), and noting that no objections have been filed thereto and that the time for filing such objections under Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b) has expired, hereby ADOPTS said Report and Recommendations.

It is hereby ORDERED that this case is DISMISSED with prejudice for lack of jurisdiction. This case is TERMINATED on the docket of this Court.

March 17, 2017.



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Walter Herbert Rice  
United States District Judge