IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON

PORTLAND DIVISION

CATHLEEN TERESA HUGHLEY,

No. 3:16-CV-2088-YY

Plaintiff,

OPINION AND ORDER

v.

NANCY A. BERRYHILL,

Acting Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant.

MOSMAN, J.,

On November 29, 2017, Magistrate Judge Youlee Yim You issued her Findings and Recommendation (F&R) [23], recommending the Commissioner's final decision be AFFIRMED. Plaintiff did not file objections.

DISCUSSION

The magistrate judge makes only recommendations to the court, to which any party may file written objections. The court is not bound by the recommendations of the magistrate judge, but retains responsibility for making the final determination. The court is generally required to make a de novo determination regarding those portions of the report or specified findings or recommendation as to which an objection is made. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(C). However, the court is not required to review, de novo or under any other standard, the factual or legal conclusions of 1 – OPINION AND ORDER

the magistrate judge as to those portions of the F&R to which no objections are addressed. *See Thomas v. Arn*, 474 U.S. 140, 149 (1985); *United States v. Reyna-Tapia*, 328 F.3d 1114, 1121 (9th Cir. 2003). While the level of scrutiny under which I am required to review the F&R depends on whether or not objections have been filed, in either case, I am free to accept, reject, or modify any part of the F&R. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(C).

Upon review, I agree with Judge You's recommendation and I ADOPT the F&R [23] as my own opinion.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this 2 day of January, 2018.

MICHAEL W. MOSMAN
Chief United States District Judge