v.

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

TERRY RAY CHAMBERLAIN, : CIVIL ACTION NO: 1:12-CV-01272

Petitioner : (Chief Judge Conner)

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JOHN E. WETZEL, Secretary: : THIS IS A CAPITAL CASE

designee, Pennsylvania Department:
of Corrections; LOUIS B. FOLINO,:
Superintendent of the State:
Correctional Institution at Greene;
and MARIROSA LAMAS,:
Superintendent of the State:
Correctional Institution at:
Rockview,:

:

Respondents

ORDER

AND NOW, this 5th day of December, 2013, for the reasons set forth in the accompanying memorandum of this date, it is hereby ORDERED that:

- 1. Petitioner's motion for leave to file a petition for writ of habeas corpus in excess of the page limitation (Doc. 11) is GRANTED. The petition for writ of habeas corpus (Doc. 13) is accepted for filing.
- 2. Petitioner's motion to dismiss the petition for writ of habeas corpus without prejudice to allow petitioner to expeditiously exhaust federal claims in state court (Doc. 14) is GRANTED.
- 3. The petition for writ of habeas corpus (Doc. 13) is DISMISSED without prejudice.
- 4. The Clerk of Court shall CLOSE this case.
- 5. There is no basis for the issuance of a certificate of appealability. <u>See</u> 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c).

/S/ Christopher C. Conner Christopher C. Conner, Chief Judge United States District Court Middle District of Pennsylvania