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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE NASHVILLE DIVISION

CLARENCE HAYES	]	
Petitioner,	]	
	]	
v.	]	No. 3:14-0836
	]	Judge Campbell
BRUCE WESTBROOKS, Warden	]	
Respondent.	]	

## ORDER

In accordance with the Memorandum contemporaneously entered, the Court finds no merit in the petitioner's § 2254 habeas corpus petition (Docket Entry Nos. 1 and 5). Consequently, said petition is DENIED and the instant action is hereby DISMISSED. Rule 8(a), Rules -- § 2254 Cases.

Should the petitioner file a timely notice of appeal from this order, such notice shall be treated as an application for a certificate of appealability, 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c), which will not issue because the petitioner has failed to make a substantial showing of a constitutional violation.

It is so ORDERED.

Todd Campbell

United States District Judge