## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS DALLAS DIVISION

| ANTOINE LAMONT SMITH, 1523849,        | ) |                    |
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| Petitioner,                           | ) |                    |
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| <b>v.</b>                             | ) | No. 3:14-CV-3678-M |
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| WILLIAM STEPHENS, Director, TDCJ-CID, | ) |                    |
| Respondent.                           | ) |                    |

## ORDER ACCEPTING FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATION OF THE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

United States Magistrate Judge Paul D. Stickney made findings, conclusions and a recommendation in this case. Plaintiff filed objections, and the District Court has made a *de novo* review of those portions of the proposed findings and recommendation to which objection was made. The objections are overruled, and the Court accepts the findings, conclusions and recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge.

It is therefore ORDERED that Petitioner's motion for reconsideration and request for certificate of appealability, ECF No. 28, is DENIED.

SO ORDERED this day of March, 2016.

v. William Stephens, Director

BARBARA M. G. LYNN

LINITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS