

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

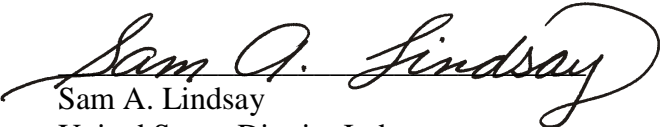
<b>ERIC CHARLES HOBBS, #1488486,</b>	§	
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Petitioner,	§	
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v.	§	Civil Action No. <b>3:16-CV-2863-L</b>
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<b>LORIE DAVIS, Director</b>	§	
<b>Texas Department of Criminal Justice,</b>	§	
<b>Correctional Institutions Division,</b>	§	
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Respondent.	§	

**ORDER**

This habeas case was referred to Magistrate Judge David L. Horan, who entered the Findings, Conclusions and Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge (“Report”) on November 1, 2016, recommending that Petitioner’s habeas petition be construed as successive and transferred to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 2244(b)(3). No objections to the Report were received as of the date of this order.

When a petition is deemed successive, the district court lacks subject matter jurisdiction unless a panel of the Fifth Circuit allows the successive petition to proceed. After reviewing the pleadings, file, record in this case, and Report, the court determines that the findings and conclusions of the magistrate judge are correct, and **accepts** them as those of the court. Accordingly, the court **directs** the clerk of the court to **transfer** the habeas petition in this case to the Fifth Circuit for determination.

**It is so ordered** this 22nd day of November, 2016.

  
Sam A. Lindsay  
United States District Judge