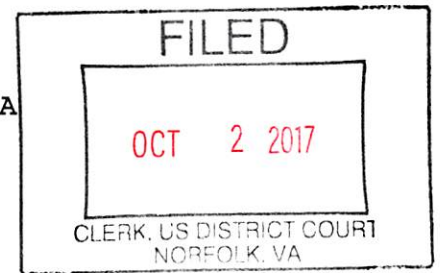


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
Norfolk Division



RANDY LEE SYKES,

Plaintiff,

v.

ACTION NO. 2:16cv593

NANCY A. BERRYHILL,
Acting Commissioner of
Social Security,

Defendant.

FINAL ORDER

Plaintiff Randy Lee Sykes brought this action, pro se, seeking judicial review of the final decision of the Acting Commissioner of Social Security denying his claim for disability insurance benefits under Title II of the Social Security Act.

This matter was referred to a United States Magistrate Judge, pursuant to the provisions of 28 U.S.C. §§ 636(b)(1)(B) and (C) and Rule 72(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, as well as Rule 72 of the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, for a report and recommendation. The Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge was filed on August 25, 2017, recommending that Plaintiff's motion for summary judgment, ECF No. 15, be DENIED, Defendant's motion for summary judgment, ECF No. 16, be GRANTED, and that the final decision of the Acting

