IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA Roanoke Division

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ANTHONY DAVIS SLAUGHTER,) Civil Action No. 7:11-cv-00163
Petitioner,)
v.)))
HAROLD W. CLARKE,) <u>Order</u>
Director, Virginia Department of	j
Corrections,) By: James C. Turk
) Senior United States District Judge
Respondent.	

In accordance with the Memorandum Opinion entered this day, it is hereby

ADJUDGED AND ORDERED

that Respondent's Motion to Dismiss (ECF No. 8) is **GRANTED**, and Petitioner Anthony Davis Slaughter's petition for a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 (ECF No. 1) is **DENIED.** Further, Petitioner is advised that a Certificate of Appealability is **DENIED**.

The Clerk of Court is directed to strike the case from the active docket of the Court, and send copies of this Final Order and accompanying Memorandum Opinion to Petitioner and counsel of record for Respondent.

ENTER: This 26th day of August, 2011.

Senior United States District Judge