

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
ROANOKE DIVISION

MAY 04 2012

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ROBERT EARLE RAMBO,)
Petitioner,)
v.)
DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF)
CORRECTIONS,)
Respondent.)

Civil Action No. 7:12-cv-00034

ORDER

By: Hon. Jackson L. Kiser
Senior United States District Judge

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

ORDERED

that respondent's motion to dismiss is **GRANTED**; petitioner's petition for a writ of habeas corpus, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, is **DISMISSED**; petitioner's motion for an evidentiary hearing is **DENIED as moot**; a certificate of appealability is **DENIED**; and the action is **STRICKEN** from the active docket of the court.

The Clerk is directed to send a copy of this Order and the accompanying Memorandum Opinion to petitioner and counsel of record for respondent.

ENTER: This 4th day of May, 2012.

Jackson L. Kiser
Senior United States District Judge