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

JOHNNY LAMONT VENABLE, III,)	Civil Action No. 7:12-cv-00130
Petitioner,)	
)	
v .)	ORDER
)	
JOAN ZIGLAR,)	By: Hon. Jackson L. Kiser
Respondent.)	Senior United States District Judge

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

ORDERED

that petitioner's motion to amend is **DENIED**; respondent's motion to dismiss is **GRANTED**;

the petition for a writ of habeas corpus, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, is DISMISSED; 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 _____ day of October, 2012.

Senibr United States District Judge

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JULIA C. DUQLEY, CLERK

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