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

FRANK ERVIN ALTIZER, JR, Petitioner,	Civil Action No. 7:12-cv-00360
)	
v.)	<u>ORDER</u>
DIRECTOR, VIRGINIA)	
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS,)	By: Hon. Michael F. Urbanski
Respondent.	United States District Judge

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

ORDERED

that the petition for a writ of habeas corpus is **DISMISSED** without prejudice, pursuant to Rule 4 of the Rules Governing § 2254 Cases; a certificate of appealability is **DENIED**; and the case is **STRICKEN** from the active docket of the court.

The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order and the accompanying Memorandum Opinion to petitioner.

Entered: October 1, 2012

Michael F. Urbanski

United States District Judge

(s/ Michael 7. Urbanski