

1
2
3 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
4 AT TACOMA

5 THOMAS LEE JACKSON,

6 Petitioner,

7 v.

8 JEFFREY A. UTTECHT,

9 Respondent.

CASE NO. C13-5446 RBL/KLS

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND
RECOMMENDATION

10 The Court, having reviewed Petitioner's 28 U.S.C. § 2254 petition for writ of habeas
11 corpus, Respondent's Answer, the Report and Recommendation of Magistrate Judge Karen L.
12 Strombom, objections to the Report and Recommendation, if any, and the remaining record, does
13 hereby find and **ORDER:**

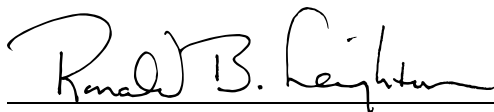
14 (1) The Court adopts the Report and Recommendation;

15 (2) Petitioner's § 2254 amended habeas petition is **denied on the merits and**
16 **dismissed with prejudice.**

17 (3) Petitioner is **DENIED** issuance of a certificate of appealability; and

18 (4) The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to the parties and to the Hon.
19 Karen L. Strombom.

20 **DATED** this 8th day of November, 2013.

21
22 

23 RONALD B. LEIGHTON
24 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE