

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
NORTHEASTERN DIVISION

REGINALD TYRONE LIGHTFOOT,))
Petitioner,))
v.) Case No. 5:16-cv-00583-VEH-TMP
)
DERRICK CATER, *et al.*,))
Respondents.)

MEMORANDUM OPINION

On June 1, 2018, the magistrate judge filed his Report and Recommendation in the above-styled cause, recommending that this petition for *habeas corpus* relief filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 be dismissed without prejudice. No objections from either party have been filed. Having now carefully reviewed and considered *de novo* all the materials in the court file, the court is of the opinion that the report is due to be **ADOPTED**, and the recommendation **ACCEPTED**. Consequently, the petition for writ of *habeas corpus* filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 in the above-styled cause is due to be **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE**. An order of final judgment will be entered contemporaneously herewith.

DONE this the 9th day of August, 2018.


VIRGINIA EMERSON HOPKINS
United States District Judge