

United States Court of Appeals

For the Seventh Circuit
Chicago, Illinois 60604

Submitted June 18, 2019
Decided June 27, 2019

Before

DIANE P. WOOD, *Chief Judge*

MICHAEL Y. SCUDDER, *Circuit Judge*

No. 18-3014

PATRICK JONES,
Petitioner-Appellant,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Respondent-Appellee.

Appeal from the United States District
Court for the Northern District of Illinois,
Eastern Division.

No. 16 C 6673

Rebecca R. Pallmeyer,
Judge.

ORDER

Patrick Jones has filed a notice of appeal from the dismissal of his motion under 28 U.S.C. § 2255 and an application for a certificate of appealability. We have reviewed the final order of the district court and the record on appeal. We find no substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right. See 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(2).

Accordingly, the request for a certificate of appealability is DENIED.

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

United States of America,)
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Plaintiff(s),)
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v.) No. 16 C 6673
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Patrick Jones,) Judge Rebecca R. Pallmeyer
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Defendant.)

ORDER

Jones's § 2255 petition is dismissed. His motion for leave to file supplemental pleading [22] is granted, but his petitions for relief from the judgment and sentence [1, 14, 23] are denied. Because reasonable jurists could not "debate whether . . . the petition should have been resolved in a different manner." *Resendez v. Knight*, 653 F.3d 445, 446 (7th Cir. 2011), Petitioner has failed to make a "substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right" under 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c), and the court declines to issue a certificate of appealability. Judgment will enter in favor of the United States.

ENTER:



Dated: July 9, 2018

REBECCA R. PALLMEYER
United States District Judge

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