

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
District of Maine**

<b>TRACYE M. GREENE,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Plaintiff</b>	)	
	)	
<b>v.</b>	)	<b>No. 2:10-cv-486-GZS</b>
	)	
<b>MICHAEL J. ASTRUE,</b>	)	
<b>Commissioner of Social Security,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Defendant</b>	)	

**ORDER AFFIRMING THE  
RECOMMENDED DECISION OF THE MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

The United States Magistrate Judge filed with the Court on September 28, 2011, his Recommended Decision (Docket No. 17). Plaintiff filed her Objection to the Recommended Decision (Docket No. 18) on October 13, 2011. Defendant filed his Response to Plaintiff's Objection to the Recommended Decision (Docket No. 19) on October 14, 2011.

I have reviewed and considered the Magistrate Judge's Recommended Decision, together with the entire record; I have made a de novo determination of all matters adjudicated by the Magistrate Judge's Recommended Decision; and I concur with the recommendations of the United States Magistrate Judge for the reasons set forth in his Recommended Decision, and determine that no further proceeding is necessary.

1. It is therefore **ORDERED** that the Recommended Decision of the Magistrate Judge is hereby **AFFIRMED**.

2. It is hereby **ORDERED** that the Commissioner's denial of the Plaintiff's request to reopen her earlier application for benefits is **AFFIRMED**.

/s/George Z. Singal \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. District Judge

Dated this 14<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2011.

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