

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MAINE

JOSEPH GARY BLACK, )  
 )  
 Plaintiff, )  
 )  
 v. ) 1:10-cv-00175-JAW  
 )  
 SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION )  
 COMMISSIONER, )  
 )  
 Defendant. )

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

No objection having been filed to the Magistrate Judge's Recommended Decision filed March 29, 2011, the Recommended Decision is accepted.

Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED that the Commissioner's decision be and hereby is AFFIRMED.

*/s/ John A. Woodcock, Jr.*  
JOHN A. WOODCOCK, JR.  
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dated this 18th day of April, 2011

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**Defendant**

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