Court of Appeals, State of Michigan

ORDER

People of MI v Mercedes Valentino Flemister

Cynthia Diane Stephens

Presiding Judge

Docket No. 317459

Christopher M. Murray

LC No.

13-000447-01-FC

Michael J. Riordan

Judges

The Court orders that the motion to remand pursuant to MCR 7.211(C)(1) is GRANTED. Defendant-appellant may file a motion for a new trial in the trial court based on ineffective assistance of counsel. The trial court shall conduct an evidentiary hearing and rule on the motion. Proceedings on remand are limited to the issues raised in the motion to remand.

Defendant-appellant is to file with this Court a copy of any motion and any supporting brief filed in the trial court within 14 days of the Clerk's certification of this order. The trial court is to hear and decide the matter within 56 days of the Clerk's certification of this order. The trial court is to make findings of fact and a determination on the record. The trial court is to cause a transcript of any hearing on remand to be prepared and filed within 21 days after completion of the proceedings.

Defendant-appellant must also file with the Clerk of this Court copies of all orders entered on remand within 14 days after entry. Defendant-appellant may file a supplemental brief pertaining to the issues raised on remand within 21 days after entry of the trial court's order deciding the matter or 21 days after the transcript of the hearing on remand is filed, whichever is later. Plaintiff-appellee may file a supplemental brief in response.

This Court retains jurisdiction in the cause, and the time for proceeding with the appeal in this Court begins upon issuance of an order in the trial court that finally disposes of the remand proceedings. Nevertheless, the time for proceeding with the appeal begins 14 days from the date of certification of this order if remand pleadings are not filed in the trial court within the 14-day period.

A true copy entered and certified by Jerome W. Zimmer Jr., Chief Clerk, on

APR 16 2014

Date

Thomas Je. Chief Clerk