

Court of Appeals, State of Michigan

ORDER

People of MI v Eric Lamont Washington

Docket No. 325514

LC No. 2013-247603-FH

Mark J. Cavanagh
Presiding Judge

Kathleen Jansen

Elizabeth L. Gleicher
Judges

The Court will consider defendant's motion to expedite this appeal as a motion for immediate consideration of his application for leave to appeal. The motion for immediate consideration is GRANTED.

Pursuant to MCR 7.205(E)(2), the Court orders that the December 19, 2014, order denying defendant's motion to enter a claim of appeal is REVERSED. Although the trial court did not timely receive defendant's request for the appointment of appellate counsel, defendant's request was made within the time for filing a claim of appeal as provided by MCR 6.425(G)(3). Accordingly, the trial court was required to enter a "Claim of Appeal and Appointment of Counsel." MCR 6.425(G)(3). We therefore REVERSE the December 19, 2014, order and remand this case for the trial court to enter a claim of appeal. This Court retains no further jurisdiction.



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

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Date

Chief Clerk