

Court of Appeals, State of Michigan

ORDER

People of MI v Aaron Earl Merritt

Docket No. 336280

LC No. 2016-021554-FH

Jane M. Beckering
Presiding Judge

William B. Murphy

Joel P. Hoekstra
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. The trial court shall conduct an evidentiary hearing and rule on the motion. Proceedings on remand are limited to the issue 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 issue 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

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Date


Chief Clerk