

Court of Appeals, State of Michigan

ORDER

People of MI v Lincoln Watkins

Docket No. 277905

LC No. 06-008116

Kirsten Frank Kelly
Presiding Judge

Michael J. Talbot

Kurtis T. Wilder
Judges

The Court orders that the application for leave to appeal is NO LONGER HELD IN ABEYANCE.

The Court further orders, pursuant to MCR 7.205(D)(2), that the trial court's May 9, 2007 order granting reconsideration of the admission of evidence under MRE 404(b) is REVERSED IN PART. Ekemini Williams' testimony is admissible to the extent it is evidence that defendant committed a "listed offense," as defined in MCL 28.722, against her while she was a minor. MCL 768.27a. The trial court shall determine which aspects of Williams' proposed testimony pertain to the commission of listed offenses while she was a minor, and allow the prosecutor to present that testimony. However, we find no abuse of discretion in the trial court's decision to preclude the testimony of Kesha Hobley.

The stay of proceedings previously ordered by this Court is NO LONGER IN EFFECT.

This case is REMANDED to the trial court for further proceedings consistent with this order. We do not retain jurisdiction.

This order shall have immediate effect. MCR 7.215(F)(2).



A true copy entered and certified by Sandra Schultz Mengel, Chief Clerk, on

MAY 14 2007

Date

Sandra Schultz Mengel
Chief Clerk