

**Court of Appeals, State of Michigan**

**ORDER**

People of MI v Andre Lamont Hampton

Docket No. 327225

LC No. 14-249938-FH

Jane E. Markey  
Presiding Judge

William B. Murphy

Douglas B. Shapiro  
Judges

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The Court orders that the delayed application for leave to appeal is DENIED for lack of merit in the grounds presented.

Shapiro, J. further states as follow:

Because the 14 year minimum term imposed was within the guidelines MCL 769.34(10) mandates that we affirm it and so I concur in the denial of the application for leave to appeal. Were I not bound by that statute, I would vote to grant leave to appeal for the reasons set forth in the application. This 43 year old defendant has never been convicted of any crime of violence and was a small time drug dealer. He admitted to and pleaded guilty to the charges as filed. His sentence range was largely determined by the fact that he had prior convictions which were used both in scoring the prior variable score and again to double the range due to his defendant's status as a habitual offenses. His PSIR and the application set forth mitigating circumstances.



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

JUN 18 2015

Date

*Jerome W. Zimmer Jr.*  
Chief Clerk