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RE: 23-1877 Micah Matthews v. Chris Tripp

Dear Mr. Matthews:

Enclosed is a copy of the dispositive order in the referenced appeal. Please note that FRAP 40 of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure requires any petition for rehearing to be filed within 14 days after entry of judgment. Counsel-filed petitions must be filed electronically in CM/ECF. Paper copies are not required. This court strictly enforces the 14 day period. Except as provided by Rule 25(a)(2)(iii) of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure, **no grace period for mailing is granted** for pro-se-filed petitions. A petition for rehearing or a motion for an extension of time must be filed with the Clerk's office within the 14 day period.

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Enclosure(s)

cc: Mr. Clerk, U.S. District Court, Southern Iowa
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District Court/Agency Case Number(s): 4:22-cv-00220-JEG

**UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT**

No: 23-1877

Micah Sherif Matthews

Petitioner - Appellant

v.

Chris Tripp

Respondent - Appellee

Appeal from U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Iowa - Central
(4:22-cv-00220-JEG)

JUDGMENT

Before LOKEN, COLLOTON, and BENTON, Circuit Judges.

This appeal comes before the court on appellant's application for a certificate of appealability. The court has carefully reviewed the original file of the district court, and the application for a certificate of appealability is denied. The appeal is dismissed.

May 09, 2023

Order Entered at the Direction of the Court:
Clerk, U.S. Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit.

/s/ Michael E. Gans