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THE STATE OF TEXAS EL PASO COUNTY §  
IN THE 327<sup>th</sup> DISTRICT COURT §  
V. BY *[Signature]* §  
DEPUTY § OF EL PASO COUNTY, TEXAS §  
DAVID SANTIAGO RENTERIA §

WARRANT OF EXECUTION

TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE CORRECTIONS INSTITUTIONS DIVISION OF THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE AT HUNTSVILLE, TEXAS; AND TO THE SHERIFF OF EL PASO COUNTY, TEXAS:

David Santiago Renteria, the above-named defendant, was convicted by a jury in the 41<sup>st</sup> District Court of El Paso County, Texas, of the offense of capital murder of Alexandra Flores. And on May 14, 2008, in said Court and in accordance with the findings of the jury and pursuant to the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure, David Santiago Renteria was duly and legally sentenced to death by said Court in the presence of his attorneys as fully appears in the Judgment and Sentence of said Court entered upon the minutes of said Court, as follows, to-wit:

**CERTIFIED COPY OF JUDGMENT AND SENTENCE ATTACHED**

On September 26, 2011, in trial court no. 20020D00230, and the Court of Criminal Appeals no. AP-74,829, the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals issued a mandate



affirming the Judgment and Sentence in *David Santiago Renteria v. The State of Texas*, as follows: to-wit:

**CERTIFIED COPY OF MANDATE ATTACHED**

On December 17, 2014, the Court of Criminal Appeals denied relief as to the allegations that were related to the guilt/innocence phase of defendant's trial in defendant's initial state habeas petition, cause number 20020D00230-41-01. *See Ex parte Renteria*, No. WR-65,627-01, 2014 WL 7191058 (Tex.Crim.App. Dec. 17, 2014)(not designated for publication). Because defendant received a punishment retrial, the Court of Criminal Appeals dismissed as moot the allegations that were related solely to defendant's sentence of death. *See id.*

On December 17, 2014, the Court of Criminal Appeals denied the defendant's second state habeas petition, cause number 20020D00230-41-02, as to those claims that challenged the validity of defendant's sentence as imposed in the punishment retrial. *See Ex parte Renteria*, No. WR-65,627-02, 2014 WL 7188848 (Tex.Crim.App. Dec. 17, 2014)(not designated for publication).

On December 17, 2014, the Court of Criminal Appeals treated the claims in defendant's second petition that were related to the guilt/innocence phase of defendant's trial as a subsequent writ and dismissed defendant's subsequent state habeas petition, cause number 20020D00230-41-02, as an abuse of the writ, as it involved claims related to the guilt/innocence phase of defendant's trial and defendant had already filed an



application for writ of habeas corpus challenging the validity of his conviction as determined at the guilt/innocence phase of his first trial. *See Ex parte Renteria*, No. WR-65,627-03, 2014 WL 7188848 (Tex.Crim.App. Dec. 17, 2014)(not designated for publication).

On May 15, 2023, trial court no. 20020D00230 was transferred from the 41<sup>st</sup> District Court to the 327<sup>th</sup> District Court.

And on July 6, 2023, the Court, having received the Court of Criminal Appeals' mandate affirming David Santiago Renteria's conviction for capital murder and having notice of the Court of Criminal Appeals' denial of David Santiago Renteria's application for writ of habeas corpus, and dismissal of David Santiago Renteria's subsequent application for writ of habeas corpus, entered an Execution Order setting David Santiago Renteria's execution date on **November 16, 2023**, as set forth in the Minutes of said Court, as follows, to-wit:

**CERTIFIED COPY OF EXECUTION ORDER ATTACHED**

The Sheriff of El Paso County, Texas, is hereby commanded to deliver this Warrant of Execution to the Director of the Correctional Institutions Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice for the purpose of executing this Warrant, and to take from the Director the proper receipt for said Warrant, and the Sheriff will return the receipt to the office of the District Clerk of El Paso County, Texas.



The Director of the Correctional Institutions Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice is hereby commanded to receive from the Sheriff this Warrant, and to give his receipt to the Sheriff, and to safely keep David Santiago Renteria and to execute the sentence of death at any time after the hour of 6:00 p.m. on **November 16, 2023**, by causing a substance or substances in a lethal quantity to be intravenously injected into the body of David Santiago Renteria sufficient to cause his death, and the injection of the substance or substances into the body of David Santiago Renteria to continue until David Santiago Renteria is deceased, obeying all laws of the State of Texas with reference to such execution.

Given under my hand and seal of the 327<sup>th</sup> District Court of El Paso County,  
Texas, on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2023.

  
NORMA FAVELA BARCELEAU  
DISTRICT CLERK  
EL PASO COUNTY, TEXAS

