

No. 19-564

IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

State of Michigan,

Petitioner,

v.

Eric Lamontee Beck,

Respondent.

On Petition of a Writ of Certiorari
to the Supreme Court of Michigan

MOTION TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

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Respondent Eric Lamontee Beck respectfully requests leave to file a response to the State's Petition for Writ of Certiorari without prepayment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*. Appellate counsel was appointed under Mich. Ct. R. 6.425(G) in the Michigan Court of Appeals. A copy of that appointment is attached. In light of this prior appointment, no affidavit or declaration of respondent is attached. *See* S. Ct. R. 39.1.

CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, the motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* should be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

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STATE OF MICHIGAN 10th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT SAGINAW COUNTY	CLAIM OF APPEAL AND ORDER APPOINTING COUNSEL	CASE NO. AND SUFFIX 13-39031 FC
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Court Address
111 S. MICHIGAN AVE., SAGINAW, MI 48602

Court Phone No.
989-790-5207

People of THE STATE OF MICHIGAN	Date of Birth, Address, Inmate Number (if known)	07/26/1970
V	ERIC BECK, SAGINAW COUNTY JAIL 208 S. HARRISON SAGINAW, MI 48602	
Defendant Name: Last BECK	First ERIC	Middle LAMONTEE

Offense Information	Terms of Incarceration												Intermediate Sanctions									
	Description	PACC Code	H	C	A	S	Y	M	D	Y	M	D	K	P	J	Y	M	D	R	F	O	
WEAPONS/FIREARMS/POSSESSION BY FELON	750.224F		4					240							X							
WEAPON/FELONY FIREARM/2ND OFFENSE NOTICE	750.227B-B						5				5			X	X							

H=Habitual C=Conspiracy A=Attempt S=Solicitation Y=Year M=Month D=Day K=Consecutive P=Prison J=Jail F=Fine O=Other

The defendant claims an appeal from a final judgment or order entered on 05/01/2014 in the 10th Circuit Court, SAGINAW County, Michigan by Judge JAMES T. BORCHARD 27015. Copies of the final judgment or order being appealed and docket entries are attached for the Court of Appeals, appointed counsel, and Michigan Appellate Assigned Counsel System.

On 05/01/2014, the defendant filed a request for appointment of counsel and a declaration of indigency.

IT IS ORDERED:

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Is appointed counsel for the defendant in post-conviction proceedings. If appointed counsel can not or will not accept this appointment, he/she shall notify the court immediately. Copies of the final judgment or order being appealed and docket entries are attached for appointed counsel and Michigan Appellate Assigned Counsel System (MAACS).

The court reporter(s)/recorder(s) shall file with the trial court clerk the transcripts checked below and any other transcripts requested by counsel in this case not previously transcribed. Transcripts shall be filed within 28 days for pleas or 91 days for trials from the date ordered or requested [MCR 7.20(B)]. Reporter(s)/recorder(s) shall be paid as provided by law.

Transcripts Ordered	Reporter/Recorder Name	Other Description	Previously		Reporter Number	Date(s) of Proceeding
			Ordered	Filed		
JURY TRIAL	C. MIOTTO				3862	01/29/2014
JURY TRIAL	C. MIOTTO				3862	01/30/2014
JURY TRIAL	C. MIOTTO				3862	01/31/2014
HEARING	C. MIOTTO				3862	04/24/2014
SENTENCE	C. MIOTTO				3862	05/01/2014
HEARING	C. HARRISON				4662	10/28/2014

The clerk shall immediately send to counsel a copy of the transcripts ordered above or requested by counsel as they become available. The clerk shall forward documents upon request by counsel [MCR 6.433].

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James T. Borchard
P27015

Date

JAMES T. BORCHARD
Judge

27015
Bar No.

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SUSAN KALTENBACH, CLERK

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on this date I mailed a copy of this claim of appeal to appointed counsel, defendant, court reporter(s)/recorder(s), prosecutor, Court of Appeals, and the Michigan Appellate Assigned Counsel System (MAACS). I also mailed a copy of the final judgment or order being appealed and the docket entries to appointed counsel, the Court of Appeals, and MAACS. I also mailed a copy of the defendant's request for appointment of counsel to appointed counsel, the prosecutor, and MAACS.

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Date

Judith A. Fehrman

Signature