IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA FIFTH DISTRICT

JAMES EARL SAUNDERS, II,

NOT FINAL UNTIL TIME EXPIRES TO FILE MOTION FOR REHEARING AND DISPOSITION THEREOF IF FILED

Petitioner,

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Case No. 5D14-3595

STATE OF FLORIDA,

Respondent.

Opinion filed November 14, 2014

Petition for Belated Appeal, A Case of Original Jurisdiction.

Blaise Trettis, Public Defender and Tamera Meister, Assistant Public Defender, Viera, for Petitioner.

Pamela J. Bondi, Attorney General, Tallahassee and Kaylee D. Tatman, Assistant Attorney General, Daytona Beach, for Respondent.

PER CURIAM.

The petition for belated appeal is granted. A copy of this opinion shall be filed with the trial court and be treated as the notice of appeal from Petitioner's July 31, 2014 judgment and sentence in Case No. 05-2014-CF-024953-AX, in the Circuit Court in and for Brevard County, Florida. <u>See</u> Fla. R. App. P. 9.141(c)(6)(D).

PETITION GRANTED.

PALMER, EVANDER and WALLIS, JJ., concur.