IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA FIFTH DISTRICT JANUARY TERM 2013

HOWARD WILLIAMS,

Petitioner,

Case No. 5D12-4316

DISPOSITION THEREOF IF FILED

NOT FINAL UNTIL TIME EXPIRES TO FILE MOTION FOR REHEARING AND

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STATE OF FLORIDA,

Respondent.

Opinion filed February 1, 2013

Petition for Belated Appeal, A Case of Original Jurisdiction.

Robert Wesley, Public Defender, and Assistant Public Defender, Migdalia Perez, Kissimmee, for Petitioner.

Pamela J. Bondi, Attorney General, Tallahassee and Wesley Heidt, 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 the judgment and sentence in case no. 2012-CF-1553-A-OS, in the Circuit Court in and for Osceola County, Florida. <u>See</u> Fla. R. App. P. 9.141(c)(6)(D).

PETITION GRANTED.

TORPY, LAWSON and JACOBUS, JJ., concur.