IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL FIRST DISTRICT, STATE OF FLORIDA

JOHN LEE PATTERSON,

Petitioner,

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

CASE NO. 1D05-3891

v.

STATE OF FLORIDA,

Respondent.

Opinion filed November 15, 2005.

Petition Seeking Belated Appeal -- Original Jurisdiction.

John Lee Patterson, pro se, petitioner.

Charlie Crist, Attorney General, and Elizabeth Fletcher Duffy, Assistant Attorney General, Tallahassee, for respondent.

PER CURIAM.

The petition seeking a belated appeal of the order of June 15, 2005, denying petitioner's motion to correct illegal sentence in Duval County Circuit Court case number 16-2002-CF-6968-AXXX, is granted. Upon issuance of mandate, a copy of this opinion shall be provided to the clerk of the circuit court for treatment as a notice of appeal. See Fla. R. App. P. 9.141(c)(5)(D).

KAHN, C.J., WOLF and VAN NORTWICK, JJ., concur.