

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

CARL BELL,

Petitioner,

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

v.

CASE NO. 1D06-0965

STATE OF FLORIDA,

Respondent.

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Opinion filed August 15, 2006.

Petition for Belated Appeal -- Original Jurisdiction.

Bill White, Public Defender, Fourth Judicial Circuit, and Ward L. Metzger, Assistant Public Defender, Jacksonville, for Petitioner.

Charlie Crist, Attorney General, and Tracy Lee Cooper, Assistant Attorney General, Tallahassee, for Respondent.

PER CURIAM.

Petitioner is granted a belated appeal of the November 12, 2004, judgment and sentence in Duval County Circuit Court case number 16-2004-CF-4901-AXXX-MA.

Upon issuance of mandate in this cause, a copy of this opinion shall be provided to the

clerk of the circuit court for treatment as the notice of appeal. Fla. R. App. P. 9.141(c)(5)(D). If petitioner qualifies for appointed counsel, the trial court shall appoint counsel to represent petitioner on appeal.

PETITION GRANTED.

ERVIN, WEBSTER, and THOMAS, JJ., CONCUR.