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

DELIO SANCHEZ,

Petitioner,

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

v.

CASE NO. 1D09-2457

STATE OF FLORIDA,

Respondent.

Opinion filed September 25, 2009.

Petition Seeking Belated Appeal -- Original Jurisdiction.

Delio Sanchez, pro se, Petitioner.

Bill McCollum, Attorney General, Tallahassee, for Respondent.

PER CURIAM.

The petition is granted and Delio Sanchez is hereby afforded a belated appeal from judgment and sentence in case number 06-528-CF in the Circuit Court for Suwannee County. Upon issuance of mandate in this proceeding, a copy of the opinion will be provided to the clerk of the circuit court who shall treat it as a notice of appeal. <u>See</u> Fla. R. App. P. 9.141(c)(5)(D). Counsel shall be appointed to represent Mr. Sanchez in the appeal if he qualifies for such an appointment.

PETITION GRANTED.

KAHN, WEBSTER, and ROBERTS, JJ., CONCUR.