# ARIZONA COURT OF APPEALS DIVISION ONE

STATE OF ARIZONA, Respondent,

v.

JOHN WESLEY HEIDEN, Petitioner.

No. 1 CA-CR 21-0128 PRPC FILED 8-26-2021

Petition for Review from the Superior Court in Yavapai County No. P1300CR0970517 The Honorable Krista M. Carman, Judge

#### **REVIEW GRANTED; RELIEF DENIED**

#### **APPEARANCES**

Yavapai County Attorney's Office, Prescott By Sheila Polk Counsel for Respondent

John Wesley Heiden, Florence *Petitioner* 

## **MEMORANDUM DECISION**

Presiding Judge D. Steven Williams, Judge David B. Gass, and Judge James B. Morse Jr. delivered the decision of the Court.

### STATE v. HEIDEN Decision of the Court

#### **PER CURIAM:**

- ¶1 Petitioner John Wesley Heiden seeks review of the superior court's order denying his petition for post-conviction relief. This is petitioner's latest successive petition.
- Absent an abuse of discretion or error of law, this court will not disturb a superior court's ruling on a petition for post-conviction relief. *State v. Gutierrez*, 229 Ariz. 573, 577, ¶ 19, 278 P.3d 1276, 1280 (2012). It is petitioner's burden to show that the superior court abused its discretion by denying the petition for post-conviction relief. *See State v. Poblete*, 227 Ariz. 537, ¶ 1, 260 P.3d 1102, 1103 (App. 2011) (petitioner has burden of establishing abuse of discretion on review).
- $\P 3$  We have reviewed the record in this matter, the superior court's order denying the petition for post-conviction relief, and the petition for review. The petitioner has failed to show an abuse of discretion.
- ¶4 For the foregoing reasons, this court grants review but denies relief.



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