ARIZONA COURT OF APPEALS DIVISION ONE

STATE OF ARIZONA, Respondent,

v.

JOSE JESUS ROMAN, JR., Petitioner.

No. 1 CA-CR 21-0351 PRPC FILED 3-29-2022

Petition for Review from the Superior Court in Maricopa County No. CR2013-430684-001 The Honorable Jeffrey A. Rueter, Judge

REVIEW GRANTED; RELIEF DENIED

COUNSEL

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Jose Jesus Roman, Jr., Kingman *Petitioner*

STATE v. ROMAN Decision of the Court

MEMORANDUM DECISION

Presiding Judge Cynthia J. Bailey, Judge Peter B. Swann and Judge D. Steven Williams delivered the decision of the Court.

PER CURIAM:

- ¶1 Petitioner Jose Jesus Roman, Jr. seeks review of the superior court's order denying his petition for post-conviction relief. This is petitioner's fourth 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).
- ¶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. We find that petitioner has not established an abuse of discretion.
- ¶4 We grant review and deny relief.



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