

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA**

JERRY LEE CONWAY,)	
)	
Petitioner,)	
vs.)	2:09-cv-394-WTL-DML
)	
HELEN J. MARBERRY, Warden,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

ENTRY

The issuance of a default judgment in an action for a writ of habeas corpus is rarely warranted. *See Bleitner v. Welborn*, 15 F.3d 652 (7th Cir. 1994). This case is no exception to the general rule. In addition, the issuance of a default judgment would be inconsistent with the Second Order to Show Cause issued on March 17, 2010. Accordingly, the petitioner’s motion for judgment by default (dkt 5) is **denied**.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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Hon. William T. Lawrence, Judge
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