UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

MARIO DAVIS,

Petitioner,

v.

Case No. 15-cv-14420

TONY TRIERWEILER,

Respondent.

ORDER GRANTING PETITIONER'S MOTION TO AMEND/SUPPLEMENT HABEAS PETITION

Michigan prisoner Mario Davis ("Petitioner") has filed a pro se petition for a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. This matter is before the court on Petitioner's motion to amend/supplement his habeas petition to add documents from his state criminal proceedings. Respondent has filed an answer to the petition, but has not filed a response to the motion. The court has discretion to allow amendment of the habeas petition. See Rule 11, Rules Governing 28 U.S.C. § 2254 Cases; Fed. R. Civ. P. 15(a). Having reviewed the matter, the court finds that Petitioner should be allowed to supplement his pleadings as requested. Accordingly, the court GRANTS his motion. The court makes no determination as to the relevancy of the supplemental information at this time.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

<u>s/Robert H. Cleland</u> ROBERT H. CLELAND UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dated: December 2, 2016

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document was mailed to counsel of record on this date, December 2, 2016, by electronic and/or ordinary mail.

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