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

RAYMOND TURNER,

Petitioner,

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

v.

CASE NO. 1D03-0391

STATE OF FLORIDA,

Respondent.

Opinion filed July 3, 2003.

Petition for Belated Appeal -- Original Jurisdiction.

Dennis E. Boothe of Dennis E. Boothe, P.A., Tallahassee, for petitioner.

Charlie Crist, Attorney General, and Giselle Lylen Rivera, Assistant Attorney General, Tallahassee, for respondent.

PER CURIAM.

Raymond Turner's request for a belated appeal from the judgment and sentence rendered on October 1, 2002, in Columbia County Circuit Court case number 01-560CF is granted. Upon issuance of mandate in this cause, a copy of this opinion shall be provided to the clerk of the circuit court for treatment as a notice of appeal. <u>See</u> Fla. R. App. P. 9.141(c)(5)(D). If petitioner qualifies for appointed counsel, the trial court shall appoint counsel to represent petitioner on appeal.

KAHN, VAN NORTWICK and BROWNING, JJ., concur.