IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF

APPEAL

FIRST DISTRICT, STATE OF

DONALD L. JOHNSON, FLORIDA

Appellant, NOT FINAL UNTIL TIME EXPIRES TO

FILE MOTION FOR REHEARING AND

v. DISPOSITION THEREOF IF FILED

STATE OF FLORIDA, CASE NO. 1D03-3295

Appellee.

Opinion filed May 21, 2004.

An appeal from the Circuit Court for Duval County. John H. Skinner, Judge.

Nancy A. Daniels, Public Defender, and Richard M. Summa, Assistant Public Defender, Tallahassee, for Appellant.

Charles J. Crist, Jr., Attorney General, and Edward C. Hill, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Tallahassee, for Appellee.

PER CURIAM.

The trial court erred in failing to give appellant, Donald Johnson, the opportunity to present evidence or submissions relevant to sentencing before imposing sentence, pursuant to Florida Rule of Criminal Procedure 3.720(b). Whitlow v. State, 732 So.

2d 441 (Fla. 1st DCA 1999); <u>Ventura v. State</u>, 741 So. 2d 1187 (Fla. 3d DCA 1999); <u>Beecham v. State</u>, 652 So. 2d 1275 (Fla. 3d DCA 1995). The state concedes error. We reject Johnson's contention that he must be resentenced before a different judge. There has been no allegation or showing of bias by the trial judge.

REVERSED and REMANDED for further proceedings.

ERVIN, BENTON and LEWIS, JJ., CONCUR.