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

GARRISON M. STARKES,

Petitioner,

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

v.

CASE NO. 1D11-1723

STATE OF FLORIDA,

Respondent.

Opinion filed July 22, 2011.

Petition Seeking Belated Appeal -- Original Jurisdiction.

Garrison M. Starkes, pro se, Petitioner.

Pamela Jo Bondi, Attorney General, and Brooke Poland, Assistant Attorney General, Tallahassee, for Respondent.

PER CURIAM.

The petition seeking a belated appeal of the order denying defendant's motion for postconviction relief, rendered on or about April 15, 2010, in Duval County Circuit Court case number 16-2003-CF-1630-AXXX-MA, is granted. Upon issuance of mandate, a copy of this opinion shall be furnished to the clerk of the lower tribunal for treatment as a notice of appeal.

VAN NORTWICK, WETHERELL, and ROWE, JJ., CONCUR.