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

NOT FINAL UNTIL TIME EXPIRES TO

FRED CLEVELAND, JR.,

FILE MOTION FOR REHEARING AND

Petitioner,

DISPOSITION THEREOF IF FILED

v.

CASE NO. 1D12-2552

STATE OF FLORIDA,

Respondent.

Opinion filed September 21, 2012.

Petition Seeking Belated Appeal -- Original Jurisdiction.

Fred Cleveland, Jr., pro se, Petitioner.

Pamela Jo Bondi, Attorney General, and Heather Flanagan Ross, Assistant Attorney General, Tallahassee, for Respondent.

PER CURIAM.

The petition is granted and Fred Antonio Cleveland, Jr. is hereby afforded a belated appeal of judgment and sentence in Escambia County case number 2010 CF 004676A. Upon issuance of mandate in this cause, a copy of the opinion shall be provided to the clerk of the lower tribunal who should treat it as a notice of appeal. Fla. R. App. P. 9.141(c)(6)(D).

PETITION GRANTED.

MARSTILLER, RAY, and SWANSON, JJ., CONCUR.