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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL
OF FLORIDA
SECOND DISTRICT

JOHNNY HAGIN,)
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 Appellant,)
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 v.)
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 STATE OF FLORIDA,)
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 Appellee.)
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Case No. 2D03-4859

Opinion filed June 11, 2004.

Appeal pursuant to Fla. R. App. P.
9.141(b)(2) from the Circuit Court for
Manatee County; Marc B. Gilner,
Judge.

NORTHCUTT, Judge.

Johnny Hagin appeals the denial of his motion to correct illegal sentence filed pursuant to Florida Rule of Criminal Procedure 3.800(a). We affirm the denial of Hagin's first claim without discussion. As for his second claim, in which he alleged that the circuit court failed to award him proper prison credit pursuant to the holding in Tripp v. State, 622 So. 2d 941 (Fla. 1993), we affirm because the record indicates that the circuit court did in fact award such credit. If the Department of Corrections has erred in the computation and application of such credit, Hagin should seek relief through the

administrative remedies available within the Department and then by way of petition for writ of mandamus in the appropriate circuit court. See *Battles v. State*, 799 So. 2d 1098 (Fla. 2001).

Affirmed.

SALCINES and SILBERMAN, JJ., Concur.