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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL
OF FLORIDA
THIRD DISTRICT
JANUARY TERM, A.D. 2002

HEDDIE SMITH VEREEN, **
 Petitioner, **

vs. ** CASE NO. 3D02-1476

LOIS SPEARS, Director of ** LOWER
MIAMI DADE COUNTY DEPARTMENT ** TRIBUNAL NO. 94-5186
OF CORRECTIONS and **
REHABILITATION, **
 Respondent. **

Opinion filed June 19, 2002.

A Case of Original Jurisdiction - Habeas Corpus.

Glenn R. Miller, for petitioner.

Robert A. Butterworth, Attorney General and Roberta G.
Mandel, Assistant Attorney General, for respondent.

Before SCHWARTZ, C.J., and COPE and FLETCHER, JJ.

PER CURIAM.

As we have previously indicated by releasing the petitioner on her own recognizance, the application for habeas corpus relief from a civil contempt judgment and six month sentence for allegedly violating court orders is granted because of numerous defects in

the proceedings and operative orders below, including the absence of findings that the petitioner had the present ability to comply with the orders in question and of an appropriate purge provision. See *Pugliese v. Pugliese*, 347 So. 2d 422 (Fla. 1977). Any further proceedings in this cause must be conducted in scrupulous conformance with the requirements of the law, including a sufficient charging document, trial and post trial orders. See *Bowen v. Bowen*, 471 So. 2d 1274 (Fla. 1985); Fla.R.Crim.P. 3.840; Amendments to the Florida Family Law Rules of Procedure, 746 So. 2d 1073 (Fla. 1999); Amendments to the Florida Family Law Rules of Procedure, 723 So. 2d 208 (Fla. 1998).

Habeas corpus granted.