

**STATE OF LOUISIANA**  
**COURT OF APPEAL, FIRST CIRCUIT**

JAMES MILLER

NO. 2015 CW 0489

VERSUS

ST. TAMMANY PARISH JAIL, ST.  
TAMMANY PARISH SHERIFF, AND  
NESTLE, USA

**JUN 03 2015**

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In Re: James Miller, applying for supervisory writs, 22nd  
Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Tammany, No.  
2000-12779.

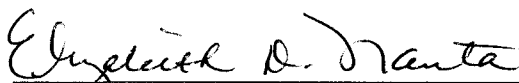
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**BEFORE: McDONALD, CRAIN AND HOLDRIDGE, JJ.**

**WRIT DENIED.** The district court's February 23, 2015 judgment, dismissing James Miller's appeal is a final, appealable judgment. La. Code Civ. P. art. 561. An appeal of a final judgment can be taken by filing a motion for appeal in the district court, along with an order for the judge's signature showing the return date of the appeal, within the time delay set out in La. Code Civ. P. art. 561. Filing documents directly with this Court does not suspend the running of the appeal delays. See La. Code Civ. P. art. 2121; **Strickland v. Layrisson**, 96-1280 (La. App. 1st Cir. 6/20/97), 696 So.2d 621, writ denied, 97-1940 (La. 11/14/97), 704 So.2d 228.

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