

STATE OF LOUISIANA
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NO. 2016 KW 1365

VERSUS

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WYRICK DAWNE TYSON


In Re: Wyrick Dawne Tyson, applying for supervisory writs,
22nd Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Tammany,
No. 571,833.

BEFORE: WHIPPLE, C.J., GUIDRY AND McCLENDON, JJ.

WRIT GRANTED. As an indigent inmate, relator is entitled to receive certain court documents, such as his guilty plea transcript, the bill of information or indictment, commitment papers, court minutes for various portions of the trial, and minutes of his sentencing, free of charge without the necessity of establishing a particularized need. See **State ex rel. Simmons v. State**, 93-0275 (La. 12/16/94), 647 So.2d 1094 (per curiam). For all other documents, the inmate is required to establish a particularized need by properly filing an application for postconviction relief, which sets out specific claims of constitutional errors requiring the requested documentation for support. See **State ex rel. Bernard v. Criminal District Court Section "J"**, 94-2247 (La. 4/28/95), 653 So.2d 1174, 1175 (per curiam); **State ex rel. McKnight v. State**, 98-2258 (La. App. 1st Cir. 12/3/98), 742 So.2d 894, 895 (per curiam). Relator sets forth that he requested a copy of his guilty plea transcript, but the trial court did not order that he be provided with that particular transcript. Therefore, the district court is instructed to provide relator with a copy of his guilty plea transcript, if it has not already done so.

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