

Fifth Circuit Court of Appeal
State of Louisiana

No. 25-KH-575

STATE OF LOUISIANA

versus

OLJUAWON NICHOLAS

IN RE OLJUAWON NICHOLAS
APPLYING FOR SUPERVISORY WRIT FROM THE TWENTY-FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, PARISH OF JEFFERSON, STATE OF LOUISIANA, DIRECTED TO THE HONORABLE STEPHEN D. ENRIGHT, JR., DIVISION "N", No. 25-2190

December 05, 2025

FIFTH CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEAL
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SAME APPEARS IN OUR RECORDS

Linda Tran
First Deputy, Clerk of Court

Panel composed of Judges Susan M. Chehardy,
Marc E. Johnson, and Scott U. Schlegel

WRIT DENIED

Relator, Oljuawon Nicholas, filed a writ of mandamus seeking to have this Court “review [his] case and motions filed on [his behalf],” claiming that “multiple motions” filed in this matter have not been ruled upon. On the showing made, finding that relator is not entitled to the relief he seeks, this writ application is denied.

On November 4, 2025, relator was convicted by a jury of possession of a firearm by a convicted felon, a violation of La. R.S. 14.95.1. The official record shows that relator’s counsel filed a motion for new trial and a motion post-verdict judgment of acquittal on December 6, 2025, on behalf of relator. Relator’s motions came for hearing on November 13, 2025, and were subsequently denied. On that same day, the district court sentenced relator to fifteen years at hard labor,

without benefit of parole, probation, or suspension of sentence. Relator's counsel filed a motion for reconsideration of sentence on November 14, 2015, and a corrected motion for reconsideration of sentence on November 16, 2025. Relator also filed a *pro se* motion to reconsider sentence on November 18, 2025, which motions were heard by the district court on December 3, 2025, and were denied. The official record further shows that also on December 3, 2025, relator's counsel filed a motion for appeal of relator's conviction and sentence on his behalf.

On the showing made, as the record evidences, there are no outstanding motions pending before the district court that have not been heard and ruled upon. A motion for appeal of relator's conviction and sentence has now been filed on his behalf. Thus, we find relator has failed to show that he is presently entitled to the relief he seeks. Consequently, this writ application is denied.

Gretna, Louisiana, this 5th day of December, 2025.

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SUSAN M. CHEHARDY
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CURTIS B. PURSELL
CLERK OF COURT

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24th Judicial District Court (Clerk)
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Thomas J. Butler (Respondent)

MAILED

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