

Fifth Circuit Court of Appeal State of Louisiana

No. 26-C-54

PAUL SHENTON

versus

THE HONORABLE J. STERLING SNOWDY, JUDGE

IN RE PAUL SHENTON
APPLYING FOR SUPERVISORY WRIT FROM THE FORTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COURT, PARISH OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST, STATE OF LOUISIANA, DIRECTED TO THE
HONORABLE J. STERLING SNOWDY, DIVISION "C", No. 75,960

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February 05, 2026



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Panel composed of Judges Stephen J. Windhorst,
John J. Molaison, Jr., and Timothy S. Marcel

WRIT DENIED

The relator's writ application is deficient because it does not include a return date or a request for a return date, as required by Uniform Rules, Courts of Appeal Rules 4-2 and 4-3. In addition, although the relator claims to seek review of a judgment on a motion to recuse, the application does not provide a ruling for review that this Court can consider timely under Uniform Rules, Courts of Appeal Rules 4-3. Also, the application does not clarify what mandamus relief the relator seeks at this time, as it does not show any properly filed and pending motions before the trial court.

Because the application presents no basis for granting relief,
we deny relief on the showing made.

Gretna, Louisiana, this 5th day of February, 2026.

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TSM

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