

Fifth Circuit Court of Appeal State of Louisiana

No. 26-K-58

MICHAEL YOUNG
VERSUS
MICHAEL P. MENTZ

IN RE MICHAEL YOUNG
APPLYING FOR SUPERVISORY WRIT FROM THE TWENTY-FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COURT, PARISH OF JEFFERSON, STATE OF LOUISIANA, DIRECTED TO THE HONORABLE
MICHAEL P. MENTZ, DIVISION "F", NUMBER 23-5911

TRUE COPY

March 09, 2026



SUSAN BUCHHOLZ
DEPUTY CLERK

Panel composed of Judges Fredericka Homberg Wicker,
Marc E. Johnson, and Scott U. Schlegel

WRIT DENIED

Relator/defendant, Michael Young, filed a writ of mandamus on February 6, 2026, to compel the 24th Judicial District Court to release him. It appears that relator is actually seeking a review of the trial court's April 23, 2024 ruling denying his *pro se* Motion to Quash and his *pro se* Motion for Release Without Bail Pending Trial, both filed on February 22, 2024.

Relator has failed to provide this Court with the district court's written or oral rulings, and thus, this Court is presented with nothing to review. Relator also did not provide copies of the notice of intent and return date order with his writ application. *See* Rules 4-2, 4-3, and 4-5 of the Uniform Rules-Courts of Appeal.

Under Uniform Rules–Courts of Appeal, Rule 4-3, relator was required to file his writ application with this Court within thirty days of the rulings at issue.

Because relator's writ application was not filed within thirty days of the trial court's ruling it is untimely.

Accordingly, this writ application is denied.

Gretna, Louisiana, this 9th day of March, 2026.

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

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