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NO. 2025AP2688-W **WILEY V. CIRCUIT COURT FOR KENOSHA COUNTY** **L.C. #2025CV1224**

June 17, 2026

The Court, by its Commissioners, has entered the following order:

On December 2, 2025, the Kenosha County Circuit Court dismissed a petition for writ of habeas corpus filed by Christopher Lee Wiley. *See Wiley v. Kenosha County Circuit Court*, Case No. 2025CV1224. On December 4, 2025, Mr. Wiley filed in this court a "Petition for Writ of Certiorari" and accompanying documentation seeking review of the circuit court's December 2, 2025 dismissal order.

IT IS ORDERED that the court will take no action on Mr. Wiley's petition for writ of certiorari. The appropriate way for Mr. Wiley to have challenged the circuit court order was by appeal to the court of appeals, not by a petition for writ of certiorari to this court. *See Halter v. Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Ass'n*, 2025 WI 10, ¶28, 415 Wis. 2d 384, 19 N.W.3d 58 ("A writ of certiorari is the mechanism by which courts test the decisions of quasi-judicial tribunals, administrative agencies, and municipalities to determine whether they've acted within their lawful authority."); *State v. Goulette*, 65 Wis. 2d 207, 214, 222 N.W.2d 622 (1974) ("Certiorari has traditionally been held to be available where statutory appeal is inadequate or non-existent, and where there is no other adequate remedy.") (citations omitted).

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