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No. 2026AP1938-W

WHITE V. CIRCUIT COURT
FOR RACINE COUNTY

L.C. #2025AP111

August 20, 2026

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

On August 10, 2026, petitioner Henry Lee White, pro se, filed a petition for a writ of prohibition, seeking an order preventing the Racine County Circuit Court from “ordering an extension of the one-year period set forth by s. 808.08; pursuant to s. 783.08.” The petition appears to relate to Racine County Case No. 2025CF111, in which White was convicted of various felonies on December 5, 2025, and in which the court of appeals dismissed White’s appeal of said convictions as prematurely filed on January 29, 2026. White’s petition is not supported by affidavit, and White alleges only that “[t]he State . . . refused to prosecute and move for further proceedings” White also filed a motion to appoint counsel in this proceeding.

White fails to allege any facts that would entitle him to supervisory relief. *State ex rel. CityDeck Landing LLC v. Cir. Ct. for Brown Cnty.*, 2019 WI 15, ¶¶28-29, 385 Wis. 2d 516, 922 N.W.2d 832; WIS. STAT. § 783.08. Additionally, White’s petition is facially deficient in that it contains no indication that he first sought supervisory relief in the court of appeals or that it would be impractical to do so. WIS. STAT. § (Rule) 809.71(1). Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that the petition for a writ of prohibition and motion to appoint counsel are dismissed.

Samuel A. Christensen
Clerk of Supreme Court

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