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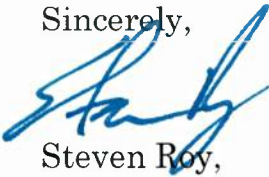
I was appointed to represent Mr. Cosby in his post-conviction process and appeal of Dodge County County case 2017-CF-312. On July 1, 2021, the court of appeals issued its final decision in this matter. Mr. Cosby instructed me to file a no-merit petition for review with this court. The deadline for filing a petition for review was Monday, August 2, 2021.

I had completed Mr. Cosby's petition for review and I electronically filed the petition on August 2, 2021, and mailed copies to this Court and to Mr. Cosby. I was subsequently informed by the clerk's office Mr. Cosby had not filed a the required supplement to the no-merit petition for review. I informed Mr. Cosby of this, and notified him I would be closing his file. According to the case file information from the public defender's office, I closed Mr. Cosby's file on October 19, 2019. It is my normal practice to delay the official closing of a file for several months incase a client has further questions, or raises additional issues. Several weeks ago, Mr. Cosby requested I provide him with his file, which I mailed on April 2, 2022. The United States Postal Service indicates the file was received on April 4, 2022.

I filed Mr. Cosby's petition under my mistaken belief the temporary mailbox rule created by this Court's April 13, 2020 was still in effect. While this Court's June 18, 2021 order was posted to

www.wicourts.gov, I have never received a copy of this order. Had I realized my belief was mistaken, I would have hand-delivered the petitions to the court to ensure they were filed timely. I do not have any information as to why Mr. Cosby's supplement was not received in a timely fashion, or why he took no action on this matter until March of this year.

Sincerely,



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