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You are hereby notified that the Court has entered the following order:

No. 2013AP1724

Singh v. Kemper L.C.#2013CV1540

A petition for review pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 808.10 has been filed on behalf of petitioner-appellant, Aman Singh, and a cross petition for review has been filed on behalf of respondent-respondent, Paul Kemper, in his capacity as warden of the Racine Correctional Institution. After the petitions were filed, the court learned that Mr. Singh is no longer incarcerated. This appeal arose out of the circuit court's denial of Mr. Singh's petition for writ of habeas corpus. Habeas corpus relief is generally available only where the petitioner demonstrates, inter alia, restraint of his or her liberty. See State ex rel. Haas v. McReynolds, 2002 WI 43, ¶12, 252 Wis. 2d 133, 643 N.W.2d 771. Given Mr. Singh's release from custody, the court questions whether this case still presents a live controversy or whether the matter is now moot. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that, on or before December 29, 2014, the parties shall inform the court, in writing: (1) what impact, if any, Mr. Singh's release from custody has on the issues raised in the petition and cross petition and (2) whether the matter is now moot.

Diane M. Fremgen
Clerk of Supreme Court