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You are hereby notified that the Court, by its Clerk and Commissioners, has entered the following order:

No. 2021AP186-CRNM State v. Nelis, L.C.#2018CF185

On February 26, 2024, Attorney Lonnie D. Story filed a motion to withdraw as counsel. By order of March 1, 2024, the court held the motion in abeyance and ordered defendant-appellant-petitioner, Brian M Nelis, to inform this court, by April 1, 2024, as to whether he wishes to discharge Attorney Lonnie D. Story and proceed pro se.

On April 1, 2024, Mr. Nelis, pro se filed a document entitled "Appellant's-Petitioner's Response in Clarification and Motion for Order, with Exhibits." In his motion, Mr. Nelis "moves the [c]ourt for an order either": (1) requiring Attorney Story to file a third amended statement in support of the petition for review that "federaliz[es]" the issues; (2) appointing substitution counsel; or (3) allowing Mr. Nelis to supplement the second amended statement in support of the petition for review filed by Attorney Story.

IT IS ORDERED that the motion to withdraw is granted. Attorney Lonnie D. Story is relieved of his obligation to further represent Brian Nelis in this matter; and

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the "Motion for Order" is granted in part. Defendant-appellant-petitioner shall have until May 8, 2024, to serve and file a supplemental petition to the second amended statement in support. If the supplemental petition is not filed by that time, this matter may be disposed of based solely on the documents filed in this matter to date.

Samuel A. Christensen
Clerk of Supreme Court