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

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No. 2024AP20-CR

State v. Merkes, L.C.#2020CF336

A petition for review pursuant to Wis. Stat. §§ 808.10 and (Rule) 809.32(4) having been filed on behalf of defendant-appellant-petitioner, Mitchell K. Merkes, and considered by this court;

IT IS ORDERED that the petition for review is denied, without costs.

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Samuel A. Christensen  
Clerk of Supreme Court