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SENTENCE REVIEW DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT OF MONTANA

STATE OF MONTANA,) Cause No. DC-42-2023-0000096-IN
)
Plaintiff,) Richland County District Court
) Montana Seventh Judicial District
-vs-)
) **ORDER OF DISMISSAL**
JEREMY LEE GARAAS,)
)
Defendant.)

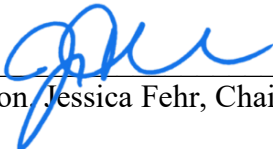
On November 15, 2024, the Defendant's Application for review of that sentence came on for hearing by Zoom videoconference before the Sentence Review Division of the Montana Supreme Court (hereafter "the Division"). The Defendant appeared from the Richland County Jail and was represented by Scotti Ramberg. The State was not represented. The victim's mother, Kimberly Baish, was present.

Before hearing the application, the Division was informed by counsel that the Defendant wished to waive his sentence review hearing. The Defendant stated that he had sufficient time to discuss his case with Ms. Ramberg and understood that his request to waive will result in a permanent waiver of his right to appear before the Sentence Review Division on the above-described cause. The Defendant confirmed that he wished to waive his right to Sentence Review.

Therefore, it is the unanimous decision of the Sentence Review Division that the Defendant WAIVED his right to sentence review and his Application is **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE**.

DATED this 25th day of November, 2024.

SENTENCE REVIEW DIVISION



Hon. Jessica Fehr, Chair

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I served a true copy of the foregoing **Order of Dismissal** by depositing the same in the U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, or via electronic service this 25th day of November, 2024 to the following:

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