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SENTENCE REVIEW DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT OF MONTANA

STATE OF MONTANA, ) Cause No. DC-42-2023-0000091-IN  
)  
Plaintiff, ) Richland County District Court  
)  
-vs- ) Montana Seventh Judicial District  
)  
CHEVY DEAN LEVI SMITH, ) **ORDER TO CONTINUE**  
) **SENTENCE REVIEW HEARING**  
Defendant. )

On November 15, 2024, the Defendant's Application for review of sentence was scheduled to be heard by the Sentence Review Division of the Montana Supreme Court (hereafter "the Division") by Zoom videoconference. The Defendant was not present. Scotti Ramberg, Defense Counsel, was present. The State was not present.

Before hearing the application, Ms. Ramberg informed the Division that she had contacted the START facility to set up a meeting time with the Defendant but was told he was no longer there at the facility. Ms. Ramberg moved to continue the Defendant's hearing in order to have additional time to contact the Defendant to discuss his case with him and prepare for his sentence review hearing.

It is the unanimous decision of the Sentence Review Division that the application for review of sentence is **CONTINUED** to the next available hearings on February 6 – 7, 2025 to allow counsel additional time to meet with the Defendant to prepare for his hearing. Notification will be sent to interested parties four weeks prior providing the actual time and date of the hearing.

DATED this 25th day of November, 2024.

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Hon. Jessica Fehr, Chairperson

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I served a true copy of the foregoing **Order to Continue Sentence Review Hearing** 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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