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SENTENCE REVIEW DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT OF MONTANA

STATE OF MONTANA,) Cause No. DC-14-2023-0000074-IN
	Plaintiff,) Fergus County District Court Mantage Touch Ledicial District
-VS-) Montana Tenth Judicial District
		ORDER OF DISMISSAL
BRANDON SCOTT LEWIS,)
	Defendant.)

On November 15, 2024, the Defendant appeared via Zoom videoconference from the NEXUS Facility before the Sentence Review Division of the Montana Supreme Court at the time set for a hearing to review his sentence. Defense Counsel, Scotti Ramberg, was also present. The State was not represented.

Before hearing the application, the Defendant was advised that the Sentence Review Division has the authority not only to reduce the sentence or affirm it, but also increase it. The Defendant was further advised that there is no appeal from a decision of the Sentence Review Division. Defense counsel informed the Division that a Motion needs to filed with the District Court due to an issue that's been identified and asked that the Application be dismissed pending the decision. The Defendant verbally verified his wish to address the issue with the District Court.

IT IS ORDERED that the Application for Review of Sentence that was filed August 30, 2024, is **dismissed without prejudice**. Pursuant to Rule 2, Rules of the Sentence Review Division of the Supreme Court of Montana, the Defendant shall have Sixty (60) days following the Decision of the District Court during which to file an Application for Review of Sentence with the Fergus County Clerk of District Court.

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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