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STATE OF MONTANA, ) Cause No. DC-14-2014-0000060  
)  
Plaintiff, ) Fergus County District Court  
) Montana Tenth Judicial District  
-vs- )  
) **ORDER OF DISMISSAL**  
BRANDON LEE BLACK, )  
)  
Defendant. )

On February 7, 2025, the Defendant’s Application for Review of Sentence came on for hearing via Zoom videoconference before the Sentence Review Division of the Montana Supreme Court (hereafter “the Division”). The Defendant appeared from the Crossroads Correctional Center and was represented by Rufus Peace, Defense Counsel. The State was not represented.

Before hearing the application Defense counsel informed the Division that the Defendant wishes to file a Petition for Post Conviction Relief in this matter. The Defendant verbally verified his wish to file a Petition for Post Conviction Relief.

IT IS ORDERED that the Application for Review of Sentence that was filed June 27, 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 Post Conviction Relief during which to file an Application for Review of Sentence with the Fergus County Clerk of District Court.

DATED this 11<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2025.

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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 11<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2025 to the following:

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