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SUPREME COURT OF LOUISIANA

No. 15-KH-1224

STATE EX REL. TROY A. GRANT

v.

STATE OF LOUISIANA

ON SUPERVISORY WRITS TO THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, PARISH OF WEST BATON ROUGE

PER CURIAM:

Denied. Relator fails to show that the trial court did not provide him with the available requested documents. <u>See State ex rel. Bernard v. Cr.D.C.</u>, 94-2247, pp. 1-2 (La. 4/28/95), 653 So.2d 1174, 1175.

Relator has now fully litigated two applications for post-conviction relief in state court. Similar to federal habeas relief, <u>see</u> 28 U.S.C. § 2244, Louisiana post-conviction procedure envisions the filing of a second or successive application only under the narrow circumstances provided in La.C.Cr.P. art. 930.4 and within the limitations period as set out in La.C.Cr.P. art. 930.8. Notably, the Legislature in 2013 La. Acts 251 amended that article to make the procedural bars against successive filings mandatory. Relator's claims have now been fully litigated in accord with La.C.Cr.P. art. 930.6, and this denial is final. Hereafter, unless he can show that one of the narrow exceptions authorizing the filing of a successive application applies, relator has exhausted his right to state collateral review. The District Court is ordered to record a minute entry consistent with this per curiam.