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SUPREME COURT OF LOUISIANA

NO. 2014-KH-2109

STATE EX REL. WENDELL A. MARTIN

VERSUS

STATE OF LOUISIANA

ON SUPERVISORY WRITS TO THE CRIMINAL DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS

PER CURIAM

Not considered; not timely filed. *See* La.S.Ct. Rule X, §5(a). The claims relator raises are repetitive under La.C.Cr.P. art. 930.4.

Similar to federal habeas relief, *see* 28 U.S.C. § 2244, Louisiana postconviction 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.