

COURT OF APPEALS OF GEORGIA

RETURN NOTICE

March 12, 2015

To: Mr. Willie J. Hemphill, GDC609276, Hancock State Prison, 701 Prison Boulevard,
Sparta, Georgia 31087

Case Number: _____ Lower Court: _____ County Superior Court _____

Court of Appeals Case Number and Style: _____

Your document(s) is (are) being returned for the following reason(s).

- There is no case pending in the Court of Appeals of Georgia under your name.**
- A Notice of Appeal is filed with the clerk of the trial court and not with the Court of Appeals of Georgia. See OCGA §5-6-37.** Once the trial court clerk has received and filed the Notice of Appeal, the trial court clerk will prepare a copy of the record and transcripts as designated by the Notice of Appeal and transmit them to this Court. Once the Notice of Appeal is docketed in the Court of Appeals of Georgia, a Docketing Notice with the Briefing Schedule and other important information is mailed to counsel for the parties or directly to the parties, if the parties are representing themselves. You do not need to provide this Court with a copy of the Notice of Appeal you filed with the superior court.
- The Notice of Appeal must include a proper Certificate of Service.** A Certificate of Service must show service to the opposing counsel and contain the counsel's full name and complete mailing address. The opposing counsel must actually be served with a copy of your filing.
- An Application for Writ of Habeas Corpus should be filed in the superior court of the county in which you claim you are illegally detained. An appeal from a denial of an Application for Writ of Habeas Corpus is to the Supreme Court and not the Court of Appeals. To write the Supreme Court of Georgia, please use the following address: 244 Washington Street, S.W., Suite 572, Atlanta, Georgia 30334.**
- An Application for Writ of Mandamus should be filed in the superior court of the county official whose conduct you intend to mandate.** An appeal from a denial of an Application for Writ of Mandamus is to the Supreme Court and not the Court of Appeals.
- Your appeal was disposed by opinion (order) on _____.** The Court of Appeals _____
_____ The remittitur issued on _____
divesting this Court of jurisdiction. The case decision is therefore final.
- Your mailing/documents indicate that you intended to file your papers in another court rather than the Court of Appeals of Georgia.** The address of the Clerk of the _____ is:
- If an attorney has been appointed for you and you are concerned with the representation provided by that attorney, you should address that issue to the trial court.** As long as you are represented by an attorney, you cannot file pleadings on your own behalf. Your attorney must file a Motion to Withdraw as Counsel and it must be granted, before you can file your own pleadings in this Court.
- Also, Mr. William L. Martin, III has retired as Clerk/Court Administrator of the Court of Appeals of Georgia. The new Clerk/Court Administrator is Stephen E. Castlen.**

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Summons

Dear Mr. William L. Martin III.

I am writing this letter in hope you can help me in a small matter. I file a Petition on Theodore Jackson, Sheriff, Fulton County, Civil Action No. HC00931

This matter is before the court on Petitioner Willie J. Hemphill's application to proceed in "forma pauperis" in a Petition for a Writ of Habeas Corpus against Theodore Jackson, Sheriff of Fulton County ("the Petitioner"). Upon review of the application for proceeding in forma pauperis, this court finds that all requirements for proceeding in forma pauperis for a petition for a Petition for a Writ of habeas corpus have been satisfied. See, O.C.G.A. §§ 42-12-3, 9-10-4. This Court hereby GRANTS Petitioner's request to proceed in forma pauperis and directs the Clerk to file the Petition. Signed by Judge, Jerry W. Baxter Superior Court of Fulton County Atlanta Judicial Circuit. I was at Fulton County Jail, 901 Rice St, NW, Atlanta Ga, 30318 when I wrote this Petition. This was the answer to the complaint which was served upon, Theodore Jackson, within 30 days after the service of this

Summons upon exclusive of the day of service.
~~If~~ you fail to do so. judgment by default will be ~~to~~
taken against you for the relief demanded in complaint
This day 2 day of May 20 13 Clerk of Superior
Court Ms. Cathelene Robinson, "Deputy Clerk."

My Story

I never receive information on this Petition in no way.
I would like to know what happen to it it's my right
to know is it?

I am on my appeal now, I have been docked, See, I am
illegally detained I need help in my case. I have a
good lawyer on my appeal. I just want to know what's
up with my Petition. Thank you I await your reply

I'm just letting you know what the judge sent me, I don't
mean to write so much I just need help they gave me
(25) yr.

Signed before me this 5th
of March 2013
Notary Ashka Lewis

Willis J. Humphreys
Petitioner

