

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL
FIRST DISTRICT, STATE OF FLORIDA

RONALD STRICKLAND,

Petitioner,

v.

NOT FINAL UNTIL TIME EXPIRES TO
FILE MOTION FOR REHEARING AND
DISPOSITION THEREOF IF FILED.

CASE NO. 1D10-4083

STATE OF FLORIDA,

Respondent.

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Opinion filed December 29, 2010.

Petition for Writ of Mandamus -- Original Jurisdiction.

James T. Miller, Jacksonville, for Petitioner.

Bill McCollum, Attorney General, and Edward C. Hill, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Tallahassee, for Respondent.

PER CURIAM.

The petition for writ of mandamus is granted. The trial court is directed to enter an order disposing of petitioner's motion for postconviction relief within 30 days or, if warranted, enter an order scheduling an evidentiary hearing on the motion. Because we are confident the trial court will comply with this directive, we withhold formal issuance of the writ at this time.

BENTON, C.J., VAN NORTWICK and ROBERTS, JJ., CONCUR.