

State Ex Rel. Michael D. Fish v. State of Louisiana

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On Writ of Certiorari to the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeal

Writ granted; case remanded to the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeal. The prescriptive period for filing applications for post-conviction relief set out in La.C.Cr.P. art. 930.8 relates to pleadings filed after a judgment of conviction and sentence has become final and has no applicability to inmates seeking reconsideration of previously-filed applications denied with orders that failed to demonstrate compliance with La. Const. art. V, § 8(B).

The court of appeal is therefore ordered to reconsider relator's application in accord with its en banc resolution approved by this Court in State v. Cordero, 08-1717 (La. 10/3/08), 993 So.2d 203.