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Outagamie County
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BY THE COURT:

DATE SIGNED: October 25, 2022

Electronically signed by Judge James Morrison
Circuit Court Judge

STATE OF WISCONSIN

CIRCUIT COURT

OUTAGAMIE COUNTY

STATE OF WISCONSIN,
Plaintiff,

ORDER

v.

KENNETH HUDSON,
Defendant.

Case No.: 00-CF-403

Attorney Michael Balskus has appeared in this matter and filed a Motion to Extend Time for ninety (90) days. This Motion was filed on October 21, 2022. Melinda Tempelis, the Outagamie County District Attorney has filed a Motion on October 24, 2022 to disqualify Attorney Balskus from participating in this matter because of alleged conflicts.

The Court has previously ordered the Defendant to file any motions which the Defendant claimed he was entitled to file seeking post-conviction relief in this case by October 31, 2022. The Defendant recently filed a motion on October 19, 2022 for an emergency thirty (30) day stay so that he could hire counsel.

The Court finds that it is necessary to have a hearing on these motions. Accordingly, all deadlines in this matter are stayed until such time as the Court can consider first, the motion as to whether Attorney Balskus should be disqualified and then,

if not, whether his Motion for Extended Time to File Motions should be granted. This Court's Judicial Assistant will coordinate with the attorneys and the Clerk of Courts in Outagamie County to hear the motions with respect to disqualification and, if appropriate, extension of time. These will be heard by Zoom to accommodate the schedule of the Judge and also scheduling difficulties in Outagamie County. The Court will enter a Scheduling Order with respect to that motion forthwith.