IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

JEROME ALLEN,

Petitioner,

v. CASE NO.: SC14-2431

STATE OF FLORIDA, DCA CASE NO.: 5D13-1957

Respondent.

STATE'S RESPONSE TO AUGUST 25, 2016, ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

Respondent, State of Florida, by and through the undersigned assistant attorney general, and pursuant to this Honorable Court's Order to Show Cause entered on August 25, 2016, hereby files this response. Respondent asserts that the State can provide no reason why this Court should not accept jurisdiction, summarily quash the decision being reviewed, and remand this case for resentencing in light of Atwell v. State, 41 Fla. L. Weekly S244 (Fla. May 26, 2016), reh'g denied, Case No. SC14-193, 2016 WL 4440673 (Fla. Aug. 23, 2016).

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy hereof has been furnished via email to counsel for Petitioner, James S. Purdy, Office of the Public

¹ Counsel of record, Christopher S. Quarles, is now retired from the Office of the Public Defender.

Defender, (444 Seabreeze Blvd., Suite 210, Daytona Beach, FL), at appellate.efile@pd7.org on this 1st day of September 2016.

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

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Respectfully submitted,

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