

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
WESTERN DIVISION**

United States of America ex rel. \_\_\_\_\_ )  
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 )  
 (Full name and prison number) )  
 (Include name under which convicted) )  
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 PETITIONER )  
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 vs. )  
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 \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 (Warden, Superintendent, or authorized )  
 person having custody of petitioner) )  
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 RESPONDENT, and )  
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 )  
**(Fill in the following blank only if judgment )  
 attacked imposes a sentence to commence )  
 in the future)** )  
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 )  
 ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE STATE OF )  
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 \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 (State where judgment entered) )

CASE NO: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Supplied by Clerk of this Court)

Case Number of State Court Conviction:  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**AMENDED PETITION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS – PERSON IN STATE CUSTODY**

1. Name and location of court where conviction entered: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
2. Date of judgment of conviction: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Offense(s) of which petitioner was convicted (list all counts with indictment numbers, if known)  
 \_\_\_\_\_
4. Sentence(s) imposed: \_\_\_\_\_
5. What was your plea? (Check one)
 

(A) Not guilty	( )
(B) Guilty	( )
(C) Nolo contendere	( )

If you pleaded guilty to one count or indictment and not guilty to another count or indictment, give details:

\_\_\_\_\_

**PART I – TRIAL AND DIRECT REVIEW**

1. Kind of trial: (Check one):            Jury ( )                    Judge only ( )  
2. Did you testify at trial?                    YES ( )                    NO ( )  
3. Did you appeal from the conviction or the sentence imposed? YES ( ) NO ( )

(A) If you appealed, give the

- (1) Name of court: \_\_\_\_\_  
(2) Result: \_\_\_\_\_  
(3) Date of ruling: \_\_\_\_\_  
(4) Issues raised: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(B) If you did not appeal, explain briefly why not:

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Did you appeal, or seek leave to appeal, to the highest state court? YES ( ) NO ( )

(A) If yes, give the

- (1) Result: \_\_\_\_\_  
(2) Date of ruling: \_\_\_\_\_  
(3) Issues raised: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(B) If no, why not: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Did you petition the United States Supreme Court for a writ of *certiorari*? Yes ( ) No ( )

If yes, give (A) date of petition: \_\_\_\_\_ (B) date *certiorari* was denied: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART II – COLLATERAL PROCEEDINGS**

1. With respect to this conviction or sentence, have you filed a post-conviction petition in state court?

YES ( ) NO ( )

With respect to *each* post-conviction petition give the following information (use additional sheets if necessary):

A. Name of court: \_\_\_\_\_

B. Date of filing: \_\_\_\_\_

C. Issues raised: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

D. Did you receive an evidentiary hearing on your petition? YES ( ) NO ( )

E. What was the court's ruling? \_\_\_\_\_

F. Date of court's ruling: \_\_\_\_\_

G. Did you appeal from the ruling on your petition? YES ( ) NO ( )

H. (a) If yes, (1) what was the result? \_\_\_\_\_

(2) date of decision: \_\_\_\_\_

(b) If no, explain briefly why not: \_\_\_\_\_

I. Did you appeal, or seek leave to appeal this decision to the highest state court?

YES ( ) NO ( )

(a) If yes, (1) what was the result? \_\_\_\_\_

(2) date of decision: \_\_\_\_\_

(b) If no, explain briefly why not: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_

2. With respect to this conviction or sentence, have you filed a petition in a **state court** using any other form of post-conviction procedure, such as *coram nobis* or habeas corpus? YES ( ) NO ( )

A. If yes, give the following information with respect to each proceeding (use separate sheets if necessary):

1. Nature of proceeding \_\_\_\_\_
2. Date petition filed \_\_\_\_\_
3. Ruling on the petition \_\_\_\_\_
4. Date of ruling \_\_\_\_\_
5. If you appealed, what was the ruling on appeal? \_\_\_\_\_
6. Date of ruling on appeal \_\_\_\_\_
7. If there was a further appeal, what was the ruling? \_\_\_\_\_
8. Date of ruling on appeal \_\_\_\_\_

3. With respect to this conviction or sentence, have you filed a previous petition for habeas corpus in **federal court**? YES ( ) NO ( )

A. If yes, give name of court, case title and case number: \_\_\_\_\_

B. Did the court rule on your petition? If so, state

(1) Ruling: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) Date: \_\_\_\_\_

4. With respect to this conviction or sentence, are there legal proceedings pending in any court, other than this petition? YES ( ) NO ( )

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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**PART IV – REPRESENTATION**

Give the name and address, if known, of each attorney who represented you in the following stages of the judgment attacked herein:

- (A) At preliminary hearing \_\_\_\_\_
- (B) At arraignment and plea \_\_\_\_\_
- (C) At trial \_\_\_\_\_
- (D) At sentencing \_\_\_\_\_
- (E) On appeal \_\_\_\_\_
- (F) In any post-conviction proceeding \_\_\_\_\_
- (G) Other (state): \_\_\_\_\_

**PART V – FUTURE SENTENCE**

Do you have any future sentence to serve following the sentence imposed by this conviction?

YES ( ) NO ( )

Name and location of the court which imposed the sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

Date and length of sentence to be served in the future \_\_\_\_\_

WHEREFORE, petitioner prays that the court grant petitioner all relief to which he may be entitled in this proceeding.

Signed on: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of attorney (if any)

**I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of petitioner)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(I.D. Number)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Address)