# Order

**Michigan Supreme Court**
**Lansing, Michigan**

May 22, 2026

Megan K. Cavanagh,
Chief Justice

Brian K. Zahra
Richard H. Bernstein
Elizabeth M. Welch
Kyra H. Bolden
Kimberly A. Thomas
Noah P. Hood,
Justices

SC: 169740
COA: 370157
Macomb CC: 2022-002742-FC

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN,
Plaintiff-Appellee,

v

VERTESE STEVEN WOODS,
Defendant-Appellant.

On order of the Court, the application for leave to appeal the February 26, 2026 judgment of the Court of Appeals is considered, and it is DENIED, because we are not persuaded that the question presented should be reviewed by this Court.

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I, Elizabeth Kingston-Miller, Clerk of the Michigan Supreme Court, certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of the order entered at the direction of the Court.

May 22, 2026

Clerk