STATE OF MICHIGAN

COURT OF CLAIMS

ALPHONSO CLARK,

Plaintiff,

v

Case No. 23-000067-MZ

STATE OF MICHIGAN,

Hon. Christopher P. Yates

Defendant.
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ORDER DENYING MOTION FOR JUDICIAL NOTICE OF LAW

In this action under the Wrongful Imprisonment Compensation Act, MCL 691.1751 *et seq.*, Plaintiff Alphonso Clark has filed a motion asking this Court to "take judicial notice of Michigan's common law on accessory after the fact, specific intent, and duress" under MRE 202. This Court is well-aware of the principles outlined in the cases cited by plaintiff, so this Court finds no need to take judicial notice of the law. Plaintiff seems to be seeking pretrial rulings on the law, but that must be done in a motion in limine, rather than a motion for judicial notice of the law. Accordingly, the motion for judicial notice of law is denied, but plaintiff may file a proper motion in limine.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

This is not a final order, and it does not close the case.

Date: August 6, 2025

Hon. Christopher P. Yates (P41017)
Judge, Court of Claims