Order

Michigan Supreme Court
Lansing, Michigan

October 30, 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: 169867
COA: 379065
Oakland CC: 09-228699-FC

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN,
Plaintiff-Appellee,

v

MICHAEL PIERRE BROWN,
Defendant-Appellant.

On order of the Court, the application for leave to appeal the January 23, 2026 order of the Court of Appeals is considered. We DIRECT plaintiff to answer the application for leave to appeal within 28 days after the date of this order. In particular, plaintiff shall address whether the Court of Appeals erred by rejecting defendant's application for leave to appeal as untimely in light of the documentation appended to it. See MCR 1.112; *People v Shaw*, ___ Mich ___; 33 NW3d 660 (2026).

The application for leave to appeal remains pending.

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.

October 30, 2026

Clerk