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: 170149
COA: 379812
Arenac CC: 2024-004651-FH

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN,
Plaintiff-Appellee,

v

JONATHAN DEAN SMITH,
Defendant-Appellant.

On order of the Court, the application for leave to appeal the April 17, 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, paying particular attention to Issues I-III of defendant's application.

The application for leave to appeal remains pending.

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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.

October 30, 2026

Clerk