IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF LYCOMING COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA: No. 99-11,227

VS. :

ROBERT E. HAMPTON

OPINION IN SUPPORT OF ORDER IN COMPLIANCE WITH RULE 1925(A) OF THE RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE

Defendant appeals from the sentence imposed by this Court on November 30, 2000, after he was found guilty following a bench trial of driving under the influence of alcohol. For the DUI conviction, the Defendant was sentenced to be placed under the supervision of the Adult Probation Office for a period of 24 months under the Intermediate Punishment Program, with the first 45 days to be served at the Pre-Release Center. On appeal, Defendant asserts that the Court erred in denying his motion to dismiss the charges. The reasoning in support of the Court's Order denying the motion is in the Opinion accompanying the Court's Order, dated March 6, 2000.

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By The Court,

Nancy L. Butts, Judge

xc: DA

Marc Lovecchio, Esquire

Honorable Nancy L. Butts

Judges

Law Clerk

Gary Weber