

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF LYCOMING COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA :
 :
 v. : **No. 99-11,953 and 00-10,077**
 : **CRIMINAL DIVISION**
 CHESTER E. BOWERS, :
 Defendant : **APPEAL**

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

The Defendant, through his counsel¹, appeals this Court's August 1, 2006 Order dismissing his Petition for Post Conviction Relief. The Defendant's September 13, 2006 Concise Statement of Matters Complained of on Appeal raises three issues on appeal all related to the applicability of the registration requirements under Megan's Law addressed in this Court's August 1, 2006 Opinion and Order dismissing his PCRA Petition; accordingly, the Court will rely on its Opinion and Order dated August 1, 2006.

Dated: _____

By The Court,

Nancy L. Butts, Judge

xc: DA (KO)
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Hon. Nancy L. Butts
Judges
Gary L. Weber, Esq. (Lycoming Reporter)
Laura R. Burd, Esq. (Law Clerk)

¹ Previously, the Defendant, *pro se*, filed an appeal and a Statement of Matter Complained of on Appeal and, on August 29, 2006, the Court issued a 1925(a) Opinion based on the Defendant's Appeal because, as the Court's August 29, 2006 Opinion noted, after "appointing Attorney James R. Protasio, Esq. to represent the Defendant with respect to his March 27, 2006 *pro se* PCRA Petition and holding an initial conference, all communications with the Court have been directly from the Defendant".