

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF LYCOMING COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA,	:	CR-394-2010
	:	CRIMINAL DIVISION
v.	:	
	:	187 MDA 2013
ANTWINE JACKSON.	:	

ORDER
Issued Pursuant to Pennsylvania Rule of Appellate Procedure 1925(a)

This appeal pertains to Defendant's Post-Conviction Relief Act (PCRA) Petitions. On February 21, 2012, Defendant filed a *pro se* PCRA Petition. On March 13, 2012, the Court appointed counsel to represent Defendant in his PCRA proceedings. The Court scheduled an initial PCRA conference for May 8, 2012. Upon agreement of the parties, the Court continued that conference to July 10, 2012. On July 10, 2012, Defendant's appointed counsel informed the Court that the opening and closing trial statements were still being transcribed by the Court Reporter. Based upon these outstanding transcript requests, the Court ordered defense counsel to submit an amended PCRA petition within thirty (30) days of his receipt of these transcripts. Defense counsel filed an Amended PCRA Petition on September 7, 2012.

On January 7, 2013, this Court entered an Opinion and Order addressing Defendant's trial concerns raised in his Amended Petition and notifying Defendant that the Court intended to dismiss this petition within twenty (20) days. On January 25, 2013, Defendant filed a Notice of Appeal concerning the Court's January 7, 2013 Opinion and Order. On January 29, 2013, the Court entered an Order dismissing Defendant's Amended PCRA Petition. On January 30, 2013, this Court directed Defendant to file his Concise Statement of Matters Complained of on Appeal within twenty-one (21) days. On February 6, 2013, Defendant filed his Concise Statement. In this statement, Defendant raised the exact same issues that were raised in his Amended PCRA Petition. Therefore, in light of Defendant's Amended PCRA Petition and Statement of Matters

Complained of on Appeal, for the purposes of this appeal, the Court relies on its Opinion and Order of January 7, 2013, finalized by its Order of January 27, 2013; the Court respectfully requests that these orders be AFFIRMED.

BY THE COURT,

Date

Richard A. Gray, J.

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