

The Supreme Court of the State of Louisiana

STATE OF LOUISIANA

No. 2023-KH-01178

VS.

JINEL SEXTON

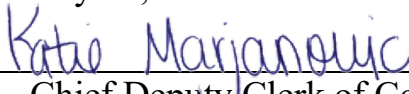
IN RE: Jinel Sexton - Applicant Defendant; Applying For Supervisory Writ, Parish of St. Tammany, 22nd Judicial District Court Number(s) 587039, Court of Appeal, First Circuit, Number(s) 2023 KW 0500;

January 17, 2024

Writ application denied. See per curiam.

SJC
JLW
JDH
JTG
WJC
JBM
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Chief Deputy Clerk of Court
For the Court

SUPREME COURT OF LOUISIANA

No. 23-KH-1178

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**ON SUPERVISORY WRITS TO THE TWENTY-SECOND
JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY**

PER CURIAM:

Denied. Applicant fails to show that he received ineffective assistance of counsel under the standard of *Strickland v. Washington*, 466 U.S. 668, 104 S.Ct. 2052, 80 L.Ed.2d 674 (1984). With respect to his remaining claims, he fails to meet his post-conviction burden of proof. La.C.Cr.P. arts. 930.2.

Applicant has now fully litigated his application for post-conviction relief in state court. Similar to federal habeas relief, *see* 28 U.S.C. § 2244, Louisiana post-conviction procedure envisions the filing of a second or successive application only under the narrow circumstances provided in La.C.Cr.P. art. 930.4 and within the limitations period as set out in La.C.Cr.P. art. 930.8. Notably, the legislature in 2013 La. Acts 251 amended that article to make the procedural bars against successive filings mandatory. Applicant’s claims have now been fully litigated in accord with La.C.Cr.P. art. 930.6, and this denial is final. Hereafter, unless he can show that one of the narrow exceptions authorizing the filing of a successive application applies, applicant has exhausted his right to state collateral review. The district court is ordered to record a minute entry consistent with this per curiam.