

SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY
C-504 September Term 2025
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Craig Blackmon,
Appellant-Petitioner,
v.
New Jersey State
Parole Board,
Respondent-Respondent.

O R D E R

A petition for certification of the judgment in A-003766-22
having been submitted to this Court, and the Court having considered the
same;

It is ORDERED that the petition for certification is granted;

It is further ORDERED that the following peremptory briefing schedule
is established for this appeal:

- Appellant's brief is due by June 17, 2026.
- Respondent's brief is due by July 17, 2026.
- Motions for leave to appear as amicus curiae and proposed amicus
merits briefs are due by July 27, 2026. The Court will not accept
motions to extend or relax the time for filing an amicus motion or
brief.
- Appellant may file a reply brief by August 10, 2026. Appellant's
reply brief should include responses, if any, to the merits of any
proposed amicus curiae briefs. If appellant opposes participation

by any proposed amicus party, appellant may file an answer in opposition to the amicus motion(s) also on August 10, 2026.

- Respondent may file a brief responding to the merits of any proposed amicus curiae brief by August 10, 2026. If respondent opposes participation by any proposed amicus party, respondent may file an answer in opposition to the amicus motion(s) also on August 10, 2026.

WITNESS, the Honorable Stuart Rabner, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 5th day of May, 2026.


CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT