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JARED BARTH,

Petitioner,

v.

ORDER

MONTANA FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
COURT, MISSOULA COUNTY,  
Honorable John W. Larson, presiding,

Respondent.

Self-represented Petitioner Jared Barth moves this Court for a writ of supervisory control over the Fourth Judicial District Court, alleging that he was deemed fit to proceed last year in his two pending criminal cases and that a second evaluation at the Montana State Hospital is now required. He further alleges that he has been in jail since July 14, 2021. Upon review of his pleading and attachments, we deem his motion a Petition for Writ of Supervisory Control, pursuant to M. R. App. P. 14(3), and we deem it appropriate to obtain a summary response. M. R. App. P. 14(7). Therefore,

IT IS ORDERED that the Fourth Judicial District Court and the State of Montana, or both, are GRANTED thirty days from the date of this Order, to prepare, file, and serve a response.

The Clerk is directed to provide a copy of this Order to: the Honorable John A. Larson, Fourth Judicial District Court, Missoula County; Shirley Faust, Clerk of District Court, Missoula County, under Cause Nos. DC-21-371 and DC-21-414; counsel of record; Brittany L. Williams, Counsel for the State; Jamie Upham, Defense Counsel, along with a copy of Barth's Petition; and Jared Barth personally.

DATED this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2022.



Justice