



**Supreme Court
State of Georgia**

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January 16, 2007

TO ALL COUNSEL:

RE: S07R0573. JERRY WILLIAMS JONES v. THE STATE

The Supreme Court today granted the above referenced Application for Interim Review.

This matter is now being changed from an application to an appeal. It will retain the same case number except that the R is changed to an A so that the case number is now **S07A0573**. The appellant's enumeration of errors and brief are due in this Court within 20 days of today's date; the appellee's brief is due within 40 days of today's date, or within 20 days of the filing of appellant's brief, whichever is later. See Rule 10. If oral argument is desired, request must be made in writing within 20 days of today's date. See Rules 50 - 55.

The Court is particularly concerned with, and requests that you address in your brief, the following:

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All the Justices concur, except Melton, J., who is disqualified, in the granting of the application for interim review in order to address the issue

Whether the trial court erred by denying Jones's motions concerning the amended discovery statute. See OCGA § 17-16-1 et seq.

All the Justices concur, except Melton, J., who is disqualified, and Carley, J., who dissents, in the granting of the application for interim review in order to address the additional issues

Whether the trial court erred in denying Jones's motion to suppress evidence found at his residence.

Whether the trial court erred in denying Jones's motion seeking to bar imposition of the death penalty or a life sentence without parole because the indictment does not include the statutory aggravating circumstances.



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