

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

At the Supreme Court of Appeals continued and held at Charleston, Kanawha County, on the 5th day of January, 2016, the following order was made and entered **in vacation**:

State of West Virginia ex rel.
West Virginia Regional Jail and Correctional Facility Authority,
Petitioner

vs.) No. 15-1021

The County Commission of Webster County;
Daniel B. Dotson, President;
Jerry F. Hamrick, Vice President;
and Anna Carpenter, Commissioner,
Respondents

RULE TO SHOW CAUSE

On October 22, 2015, the petitioner, West Virginia Regional Jail and Correctional Facility Authority, by counsel, Leah Macia, General Counsel, and Stephen R. Connolly, Deputy Attorney General, presented to the Court its petition praying for a writ of mandamus to be directed against the respondents, the County Commission of Webster County; Daniel B. Dotson, President; Jerry F. Hamrick, Vice president and Anna Carpenter, Commissioner, as therein set forth. Thereafter, on November 23, 2015, the respondents, by Dwayne C. Vandevender, Prosecuting Attorney, filed a response to the petition.

Upon consideration, the Court is of the opinion that a rule should be awarded herein. It is therefore considered and ordered that a rule does hereby issue commanding

and directing the said respondents, to show cause, if any they can, why a writ of mandamus should not be awarded as prayed for by the petitioner in the said petition.

It is ordered that this matter shall be scheduled for consideration and oral argument under Rule 19 of the Rules of Appellate Procedure on Wednesday, February 24, 2016. The Clerk will, at a later date, furnish counsel of record with a Notice of Argument pursuant to Rule 19(b), which will contain additional information regarding argument.

It is finally ordered that this matter shall be submitted on the pleadings previously filed, without further briefing.

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Attest: //s// Rory L. Perry II
Clerk of Court

