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TENTH CIRCUIT

September 19, 2011

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff - Appellee,

v.

JAMES A. MCKEIGHAN,

Defendant - Appellant.

No. 11-3044 (D.C. Nos. 2:10-CV-02542-JWL & 2:06-CR-20066-JWL-1) (D. Kan.)

ORDER

Before LUCERO, GORSUCH and MATHESON, Circuit Judges.

This matter is before the court on Mr. McKeighan's 28 U.S.C. § 2255 application for a certificate of appealability. In light of this court's September 8, 2011 order in related case no. 08-3204, this court lifts the June 6, 2011 order of abatement and dismisses this matter as moot without prejudice to Mr. McKeighan's later submitting a 28 U.S.C. § 2255 motion as an original filing. We grant Mr. McKeighan's motion to proceed in forma pauperis. A copy of this order shall stand as the mandate of the court.

ENTERED FOR THE COURT

Scott M. Matheson, Jr. Circuit Judge