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You are hereby notified that the Court has entered the following opinion and order:

2013AP2744-CRNM State of Wisconsin v. Thomas H. Frith, Jr. (L.C. #2009CF1039) 2013AP2745-CRNM State of Wisconsin v. Thomas H. Frith, Jr. (L.C. #2009CF1708)

Before Kessler, J.

By order dated April 10, 2014, this court directed appellate counsel for Thomas H. Frith to file a supplemental no-merit report regarding two matters. We noted that, if appellate counsel concluded that either matter had arguable merit, counsel could, alternatively, move to dismiss the no-merit appeals without prejudice and request an extension of the deadline for Frith to file a postconviction motion. Counsel now seeks voluntary dismissal of the no-merit appeals and an extension of the deadline for seeking postconviction relief in the circuit court. A no-merit proceeding is appropriate only if counsel is convinced that an appeal would be wholly frivolous.

To:

McCoy v. Court of Appeals, 486 U.S. 429, 437 (1988). Accordingly, the court will grant the motions.

IT IS ORDERED that the no-merit report is rejected and these consolidated appeals are dismissed without prejudice.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the deadline for filing a postconviction motion or notice of appeal in these cases is extended through August 6, 2014. *See* WIS. STAT. RULE 809.82(2)(a) (2011-12).

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