

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA
MIDDLE DISTRICT**

COMMONWEALTH EX REL. BERNARD : No. 202 MM 2009

RANSOME, :

Petitioner :

v. :

MICHAEL BARONE, :

SUPERINTENDENT, SCI FOREST, THE :

DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE COUNTY :

OF LEHIGH, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL :

OF THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, :

Respondents

ORDER

PER CURIAM

AND NOW, this 4th day of February, 2010, the Application for Leave to File Original Process is **GRANTED**, and the Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus is **DENIED**.