

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

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA,	:	No. 76 WM 2026
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Respondent	:	
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v.	:	
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JOSEPH D. JAY,	:	
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Petitioner	:	

ORDER

PER CURIAM

AND NOW, this 25th day of September, 2026, upon consideration of the Motion to Withdraw as Counsel, the matter is REMANDED to the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County to determine whether to permit Attorney James Vinski to withdraw. In the event Attorney Vinski is allowed to withdraw, the court is to consider related questions, such as whether to appoint new counsel or to permit Joseph D. Jay to proceed *pro se*.

The Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County is DIRECTED to enter its order on remand within 90 days and to promptly inform this Court of its determination.