

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

DOUGLAS DEBRUIN,

Petitioner,

ORDER

v.

03-C-256-C

MATTHEW FRANK, Secretary, Wisconsin
Department of Corrections,

Respondent.

On July 17, 2003, petitioner Douglas Debruin filed a document entitled "Reply Brief to the No Response from State." Apparently, this document crossed in the mail with this court's order of July 14, 2003, granting the state's motion for an extension of time to file its response to the habeas petition. Pursuant to that order, the state's response is due on July 25, 2003. This means that petitioner's reply to the state's response is due 20 days later, or August 14, 2003.

The court will place petitioner's July 17, 2003, brief in the file but will take no action on it at this time. Petitioner may submit a new brief after he receives the state's response to his habeas petition but he does not have to. If petitioner does not file a new brief, this

court will presume that he wants to rely on the reply brief in the court's file.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 2003.

BY THE COURT:

BARBARA B. CRABB
District Judge