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## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF UTAH

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State of Utah,
Petitioner,
v.
Christopher James Bonds,
Respondent.

## **ORDER**

Supreme Court Case No. 20191041-SC

Court of Appeals Case No. 20180238-CA

Trial Court Case No. 161912346

This matter is before the court upon a Petition for Writ of Certiorari, filed on December 16, 2019.

The Petition for Writ of Certiorari is granted as to the following issues:

- 1. Whether the Court of Appeals erred in its construction and application of the standard for ascertaining whether Respondent's trial counsel's performance was deficient.
- 2. Whether the Court of Appeals erred in its construction and application of the standard for ascertaining prejudice resulting from any deficient performance by Respondent's trial counsel.

A briefing schedule will be established hereafter. The parties shall comply with the briefing schedule upon its issuance. Requests for extension are disfavored, but may be granted with good cause.

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