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**ORAL ARGUMENT SCHEDULED IN THE COLORADO SUPREME COURT
PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF COLORADO V. RENE LIMA-MARIN
DECEMBER 10, 2015 @ 10:00 a.m. MOUNTAIN TIME**

Orlando, Florida: Appeals Law Group announces today that Senior Partner Patrick Michael Megaro, Esq. will argue the appeal of Rene Lima-Marin in the Colorado Supreme Court on December 10, 2015. Rene Lima-Marin was incarcerated in 1998 at the age of 19 and served 10 years in prison for a robbery in which no one was injured. He was paroled in 2008 for good behavior, and led an exemplary life by getting married, having children, remaining employed, and purchasing a home for his family. He remained living in Colorado as a law-abiding citizen, father, husband, valued employee, and youth soccer coach. He was discharged from parole in 2013 after successfully completing his supervision without any further trouble with the law.

In January 2014, he was arrested and reincarcerated when it was determined that a clerical error had resulted in him being released 90 years early. He was sent back to prison to serve out the rest of his life behind bars, his family ripped apart, and his life taken from him.

The Colorado Supreme Court has agreed to hear oral arguments as to whether reincarcerating Rene Lima-Marin violates Double Jeopardy and Due Process of Law, and is Cruel and Unusual Punishment given his clear rehabilitation and status as a productive member of society.

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About Patrick Michael Megaro: Patrick Michael Megaro, Esq., is the Senior Partner at Appeals Law Group and is regarded as one of the top [appeal lawyers](#) and [criminal defense attorneys](#) in the United States. He has successfully argued appeals in numerous Federal appellate courts, New York, New Jersey, North Carolina, Florida, Texas, and Maryland, and has been featured on CNN, FoxNews, NBC, and local affiliates in New York City and Orlando.

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