

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE THIRD CIRCUIT

No. 07-4270

IN RE: KITSON B. JARVIS,
Petitioner

On a Petition for Writ of Mandamus from the
District Court of the Virgin Islands
(Related to Civ. No. 06-cv-00031)

Submitted Pursuant to Rule 21, Fed. R. App. P.
November 16, 2007

Before: SCIRICA, Chief Judge, WEIS and GARTH, Circuit Judges
(Filed December 17, 2007)

OPINION

PER CURIAM.

On February 22, 2006, pro se petitioner, Kitson B. Jarvis, filed a petition for writ of habeas corpus in the District Court of the Virgin Islands. Three months later, Jarvis filed a motion for an order to show cause why relief should not be granted. On November 7, 2007, when over a year had gone by without any action in his case, Jarvis filed the present petition for writ of mandamus seeking to compel the District Court to rule upon his petition.

By order entered December 11, 2007, the District Court entered an order

dismissing Jarvis's habeas petition for lack of jurisdiction. Because Jarvis has now received the relief he sought in filing his mandamus petition—namely, a ruling on his habeas corpus petition—we will deny his mandamus petition as moot.