

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

Docket No. 45364

STATE OF IDAHO,)
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 Plaintiff-Respondent,)
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 v.)
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 WILLIAM TIMOTHY DIX, aka)
 JAMAAL AL-DIN,)
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 Defendant-Appellant.)
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Appeal from the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, State of Idaho, Ada County. Hon. Richard D. Greenwood, District Judge.

Eric D. Fredericksen, State Appellate Public Defender; Jenny C. Swinford, Deputy Appellate Public Defender, Boise, for appellant.

Hon. Lawrence G. Wasden, Attorney General; John C. McKinney, Deputy Attorney General, Boise, for respondent.

William Timothy Dix, aka Jamaal Al-Din, was charged with grand theft and burglary after he obtained merchandise from a supply store on open lines of credit and then took that merchandise to a pawn shop where he received loans for the merchandise. At trial, Dix moved for a judgment of acquittal on both offenses arguing that, under *State v. Bennett*, 150 Idaho 278, 246 P.3d 387 (2010), he became the owner of the merchandise once he obtained possession of the merchandise from the supply store and that, as the owner, he could lawfully pawn it. The district court denied the motion, and the jury subsequently found Dix guilty of grand theft and burglary. Dix appeals.