

UNPUBLISHED

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

No. 97-7667

DARNELL S. HOWARD,

Petitioner - Appellant,

versus

THOMAS CORCORAN; ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE STATE
OF MARYLAND,

Respondents - Appellees.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of
Maryland, at Greenbelt. Peter J. Messitte, District Judge. (CA-
97-1421-PJM)

Submitted: August 27, 1998

Decided: September 10, 1998

Before NIEMEYER and HAMILTON, Circuit Judges, and BUTZNER, Senior
Circuit Judge.

Dismissed by unpublished per curiam opinion.

Randolph O'Neil Gregory, Sr., Baltimore, Maryland, for Appellant.
Mary Ellen Barbera, Assistant Attorney General, Baltimore, Mary-
land, for Appellees.

Unpublished opinions are not binding precedent in this circuit.
See Local Rule 36(c).

PER CURIAM:

Appellant appeals the district court's order denying relief on his motion for enlargement of time to file a petition under 28 U.S.C.A. § 2254 (West 1994 & Supp. 1998). We have reviewed the district court's opinion and find no reversible error. Accordingly, we deny a certificate of appealability and dismiss the appeal on the reasoning of the district court. Howard v. Corcoran, No. CA-97-1421-PJM (D. Md. Oct. 8, 1997). We dispense with oral argument because the facts and legal contentions are adequately presented in the materials before the court and argument would not aid the decisional process.

DISMISSED