

<b>STATE V. PUTNAM</b>
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**STATE OF NEW MEXICO,  
Plaintiff-Appellee,  
v.  
ROBERT PUTNAM,  
Defendant-Appellant.**

No. 34,213

COURT OF APPEALS OF NEW MEXICO

March 11, 2015

APPEAL FROM THE DISTRICT COURT OF BERNALILLO COUNTY, Briana H.  
Zamora, District Judge

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**JUDGES**

MICHAEL D. BUSTAMANTE, Judge. WE CONCUR: JAMES J. WECHSLER, Judge,  
LINDA M. VANZI, Judge

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**MEMORANDUM OPINION**

**BUSTAMANTE, Judge.**

{1} Defendant appeals from the district court's order denying his motion to dismiss the charge of commercial burglary. Defendant entered a conditional plea reserving for

appeal the issues raised in his motion to dismiss. [RP 98-99] This Court issued a calendar notice proposing to reverse based on our decision in *State v. Archuleta*, \_\_\_-NMCA-\_\_\_, \_\_\_ P.3d \_\_\_ (No. 32,794, Oct. 27, 2014), *cert. granted*, 2015-NMCERT-\_\_\_ (No. 35,005, Jan. 26, 2015). The State has filed a response, objecting to our notice and requesting that we hold this appeal in abeyance or provide the State with a reasonable opportunity to seek guidance from the New Mexico Supreme Court on all pending appeals controlled by our opinion in *Archuleta*. [MIO 1-3] We have provided the State with such an opportunity, and the Supreme Court has denied the State a stay or other remedy that would suspend the precedential value of *Archuleta*. Thus, pursuant to Rule 12-405(C) NMRA, we apply *Archuleta*. See Rule 12-405(C) (“A petition for a writ of certiorari filed pursuant to Rule 12-502 NMRA or a Supreme Court order granting the petition does not affect the precedential value of an opinion of the Court of Appeals, unless otherwise ordered by the Supreme Court.”).

**{2}** In its response to our notice, the State simply objects to our proposed disposition without elaboration. [MIO 1, 3] We continue to believe that there are no material factual distinctions to remove this case from the control of our opinion in *Archuleta*. For the reasons stated in our notice, we reverse Defendant’s conviction for commercial burglary.

**{3} IT IS SO ORDERED.**

**MICHAEL D. BUSTAMANTE, Judge**

**WE CONCUR:**

**JAMES J. WECHSLER, Judge**

**LINDA M. VANZI, Judge**