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# La. High Court To Study Kohn Contempt Case

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| <p>The Louisiana Supreme Court today took under advisement a contempt citation against Metropolitan Crime Commission di-</p> | <p>rector Aaron M. Kohn. Kohn was cited for refusing to give certain information to the Orleans Parish Grand Jury in its probe of organized crime.</p> | <p>He went to jail briefly until the high court stayed the action pending today's hearing. The district attorney's office argued today that the matter</p> |
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| <p>is moot because that grand jury has gone out of office and all matters before it are legally dead.</p> | <p>Attorney Milton Brener argued that Kohn should have been allowed to exhaust all his remedies to a charge of criminal contempt before being sent to jail by Judge Matthew F. Braniff. This wasn't the case, he said.</p> | <p><b>BRENER SAID</b> that in sentencing Kohn, the judge related that Kohn had been charged on two previous occasions with contempt "and the next time the judge may refer to it as the fourth contempt action against him."</p> |
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