

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
)
COUNTY OF CHESTERFIELD)

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS
FOR THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

(Che00431)

Indictment No.: 2021-GS-13-461

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)

ORDER DENYING DEFENSE
MOTION FOR NEW TRIAL

V.)

ANDRE JUNIOR COVINGTON,)
)
DEFENDANT)

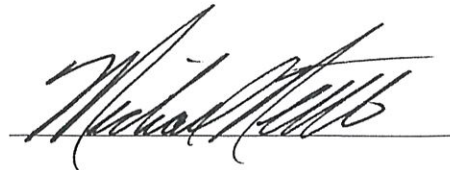
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SC Court of Appeals

This matter came before the court upon a motion from the defense for a new trial. This motion was heard on June 1, 2022.

The Court finds that State presented circumstantial evidence of murder that the jury was able to consider in reaching its verdict. Additionally, the State also presented pattern of life evidence upon which the jury was also able to consider in reaching its guilty verdict.

THEREFORE, the defense motion for a new trial is denied.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



The Honorable Michael Nettles
Presiding Judge

June 6, 2022

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