

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )  
COUNTY OF ~~CHARLESTON~~ )  
*Dorchester* )  
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )  
vs. )  
ANTHONY MORRIS )  
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IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

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Indictment Numbers: 2019-GS-18-0375

SC Court of Appeals

ORDER

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CLERK OF COURT  
DORCHESTER COUNTY

ON THIS DAY November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022 the Defendant moved to amend sentence imposed by this Court after trial on March 21, 2022 under indictment 2019GS18-0375. On March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022 the Defendant was found guilty by Jury to Assaulting an Officer While Resisting Arrest, S.C. Code 16-9-320(B). This Court sentenced the Defendant to seven (7) years in the South Carolina Department of Corrections. The Defense then made a timely motion to reconsider sentencing.

AT THE CALL of this case the State presented the factual background to this Court. The Victim was not present, but the State requested the sentence remain the same on the Victim's behalf. The Defense requested that the Sentence be amended to a lower active sentence or probation. During the Defense's argument the Defendant's Mother Spoke and requested the same.

THIS COURT finds that the Defendant's actions were severe enough to warrant the original sentencing and will therefore deny the Defendants motion to reconsider sentencing.

IT IS SO ORDERED!!

*Maite Murphy*  
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Judge Maite Murphy  
Presiding Judge

This 20 Day of 1, 2023  
St. George, SC