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The State of South Carolina
County of Charleston

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS
AUGUST TERM 2023

THE STATE

VS.

JOHN JOSEPH ERB A.K.A. Ohn J Erb,
Joseph Erb, John J Erb
W/M DOB: 10-28-1971

Indictment for

MURDER

SC Code: § 16-03-0010
CDR Code: 0116

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WITNESSES

North Charleston Police Department

Chris Ross

AGENCY CASE NUMBER

2020-008277

ARREST WARRANT NUMBER

2020A1021000355

DATE OF ARREST

03/20/2020

ACTION OF GRAND JURY

TRUE BILL

AUG 08 2023

M. Weikard
Foreperson of Grand Jury

Date:

VERDICT

Guilty manslaughter

Scott Turner 9/21/23
Foreperson of Petit Jury

Date:

Mistrial by Jury 9-21-23

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

INDICTMENT

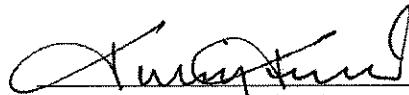
COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

At a Court of General Sessions, convened August 2023, the Grand Jurors of Charleston County present upon their oath:

MURDER

That in Charleston County, South Carolina on or about March 15, 2020, the defendant, John Joseph Erb with malice aforethought did kill and murder Donald Blake by means of blunt force trauma, and Donald Blake did die in Charleston County as a proximate result thereof on or about March 15, 2020 in violation of §16-3-10 of the South Carolina Code of Laws (1976) as amended.

Against the peace and dignity of the State, and contrary to the statute in such case made and provided.



TIMOTHY FRANCIS FINCH
ASSISTANT SOLICITOR