

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
IN THE SUPREME COURT

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APPEAL FROM COLLETON COUNTY  
Court of General Sessions

The Honorable Clifton B. Newman, Circuit Judge  
The Honorable Jean Hoefler Toal, Chief Justice (Ret.)

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Appellate Case No. 2023-000392

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,.....RESPONDENT,

v.

RICHARD ALEXANDER MURDAUGH,..... APPELLANT.

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**APPELLANT RICHARD ALEXANDER MURDAUGH'S DESIGNATED  
MATTER TO BE INCLUDED IN RECORD ON APPEAL**

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Appellant Richard Alexander Murdaugh designates the following to be included in the Record on Appeal:

1. Court of Appeals Order, October 17, 2023
2. Circuit Court Order Denying Motion for New Trial, April 4, 2024
3. Supreme Court Order, August 13, 2024
4. Supreme Court Order, September 13, 2024
5. Judgment (Sentencing Sheets) March 3, 2023
6. Notice of Direct Appeal, March 9, 2023

7. Notice of Jury Tampering Appeal, April 11, 2024
8. Motion to Exclude False Testimony About Evidence Destroyed by the State, with Exhibits, November 23, 2022
9. State's Response in Opposition to Defendant's Motion for a Bill of Particulars; and State's Motion to Admit Evidence of Motive, December 8, 2022
10. Memorandum in Opposition to Motion in Limine re: Evidence of Other Crimes and Bad Acts, December 19, 2022
11. Motion in Limine to Preclude or Limit Ballistic Opinion Testimony or in the Alternative for a *Council* Hearing
12. Motion to Suspend Direct Appeal and for Leave to File Motion for a New Trial, September 5, 2023
13. Motion for a New Trial with Exhibits, October 27, 2023
14. State's Return to Motion for New Trial with Exhibits, November 6, 2023
15. Defendant's Pre-hearing Brief with Exhibits, January 3, 2024
16. State's 2nd Prehearing Brief, January 10, 2024
17. Defendant's Supplemental Prehearing Brief, January 10, 2024
18. Defendant's Second Supplemental Prehearing Brief, January 12, 2024
19. Motion to Certify to the Supreme Court with Exhibits, July 20, 2024
20. Indictments
21. Trial Transcript, Pgs. 459–5894
22. Prehearing Transcript, January 16, 2024
23. Evidentiary Hearing Transcript, January 26 and January 29, 2024
24. States's Trial Exhibits
  - A. State Ex. 9
  - B. State Ex. 11
  - C. State Exs. 88-91
  - D. State Ex. 153
  - E. State Ex. 227
  - F. State Ex. 297
  - G. State Ex. 314

- H. State Exs. 317-328
- I. State Ex. 329
- J. State Ex. 352
- K. State Ex. 400
- L. State Ex. 411
- M. State Ex. 429
- N. State Ex. 453
- O. State Ex. 454
- P. State Ex. 515
- Q. State Ex. 519
- 25. Defense Trial Exhibits
  - A. Defense Ex. 86
  - B. Defense Ex. 87
  - C. Defense Ex. 140
  - D. Defense Ex. 156
  - E. Defense Ex. 158
- 26. Court's Trial Exhibit
  - A. Court Ex. 1
- 27. Letter from R. Harpootlian to Ret. Chief Justice Toal with Exhibit, January 25, 2024
- 28. Affidavit of Juror Z, January 29, 2024

Rule 209(c), SCACR Certification

I hereby certify that this Designation of Matter contains no matter which is irrelevant to this appeal.

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