

The South Carolina Court of Appeals

Najm Ahmad Thomas, Petitioner,

v.

State of South Carolina, Respondent.

Appellate Case No. 2023-000643

ORDER

This matter is before the court on a petition for a writ of certiorari following the denial of Petitioner's application for post-conviction relief. Based on the vote of the panel, the petition for a writ of certiorari is denied as to Petitioner's Question 2 as it relates to the hearsay issues and Question 3 but granted as to Question 1 and Question 2 as it relates to the solicitor's statements at closing. The parties shall proceed to serve and file the appendix and briefs as provided by Rule 243(j), SCACR.

FOR THE COURT

BY


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Columbia, South Carolina

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The Honorable Walton J. McLeod, IV

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