

# The Supreme Court of South Carolina

The State, Respondent,

v.

Richard Alexander Murdaugh, Appellant.

Appellate Case No. 2023-000392

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## ORDER

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Respondent's motion to exceed the page limits is granted, and the Initial Brief of Respondent is accepted as filed.

 C.J.  
FOR THE COURT

Columbia, South Carolina  
August 12, 2025

cc: Richard A. Harpootlian  
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