

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
)
COUNTY OF OCONEE)

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS
TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

2013-GS-37-1043, 1044

State of South Carolina)
)
vs.)
)
Laquavius T. Cleveland,)
)
)
Defendant.)

ORDER DENYING DEFENSE
MOTION TO VACATE SENTENCE

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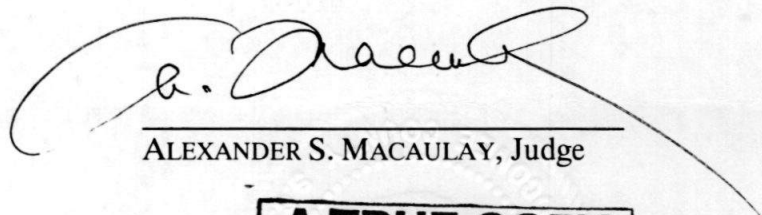
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This matter was before this Court on August 15, 2014, pursuant to the Defendant's motion captioned "Objections to and Motions to Vacate Conviction and/or Sentence" which was filed on July 28, 2014.

The Court heard arguments from both the State and Defense relating to this motion.

After careful consideration, the Defense motion is hereby DENIED. The Court further finds that the sentence imposed in this matter is not a life sentence, is not cruel and usual, and is not in violation of the Eighth Amendment of the United States Constitution.

IT IS SO ORDERED.


ALEXANDER S. MACAULAY, Judge

August 15, 2014
Walhalla, South Carolina

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