

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
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 COUNTY OF LANCASTER)
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 State of South Carolina)
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 v.)
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 Allen Massey)
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 Defendant.)
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IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS
 FOR THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

Case No. 2014-GS-29-0094
 2014-GS-29-0095

**ORDER DENYING DEFENDANT'S
 MOTION FOR A NEW TRIAL**


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 SC Court of Appeals

This matter comes before the Court by way of Defendant's Motion for a New Trial pursuant to Rule 29 of the South Carolina Criminal Rules of Procedure. Specifically, Defendant seeks a new trial based upon his assertions that State's witness Pathologist Janice Ross's demonstration of the downward trajectory of the fatal bullet was based entirely on speculation and that State's presentation of Defendant's video statement without redaction of Defendant's response that he did not have a concealed weapons permit introduced irrelevant and confusing facts to the jury that were prejudicial and of no probative value in the case.

After consideration of the record in this case and the submissions of counsel, this Court is unable to find sufficient reason to grant new trial. Accordingly, this Court hereby **DENIES** Defendant's Motion for a New Trial. Additionally, pursuant to Rule 29(a), the Court is of the opinion that oral argument is not necessary in this case.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Columbia, South Carolina
 August 25 2015



 G. Thomas Cooper, Jr., Judge
 Presiding Judge