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APPEAL FROM ALLENDALE COUNTY
Court of General Sessions

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R. Lawton McIntosh, Circuit Court Judge

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Case No(s): 2015-GS-03-0050

S.C. SUPREME COURT

The State,

Respondent.

v.

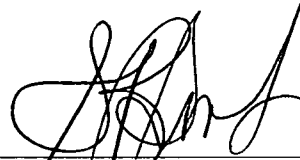
Robert Lee Miller, III,

Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Robert Lee Miller, III appeals his sentencing held in abeyance for Aiken vs. Byer. The sentencing decision was imposed by the Honorable R. Lawton McIntosh on July 14, 2016.

Date: July 15, 2016



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The State of South Carolina

County of Allendale

After being fully advised as to my legal rights, I hereby waive presentment to the Grand Jury.

Defendant

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

July Term 2015

I _____

Hereby appear in my own proper person and plead guilty to the within indictment or to

BEST WARRANT NUMBER

2015A0310100028

Date of Arrest: April 6, 2015

THE STATE

vs.

Robert Lee Miller III

ACTION OF GRAND JURY

True Blue

Defendant

Rosa Kilwell 7-23-15
Foreperson of Grand Jury

VERDICT

Guilty

Indictment for

Murder / Murder

Witness:

Malicia Wright
Foreperson of Petit Jury

Date: 7-14-16

SC Code: 16-03-0010; 16-03-0020
CDR Code:0116

C.C.C. PLS. and G.S.

INDICT

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
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COUNTY OF ALLENDALE)

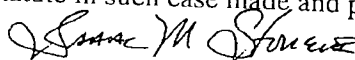
INDICTMENT
2015GS0300050

At a Court of General Sessions, convened on July 23, 2015, the Grand Jurors of Allendale County present upon their oath:

Murder / Murder

That in Allendale County on or about June 17, 2014- June 19, 2014, with malice aforethought, Robert Lee Miller III did kill and murder Willie Johnson by means of blunt force trauma and/or suffocation, and that Willie Johnson did die in Allendale County as a proximate result thereof on or about June 17, 2014; in violation of Section 16-3-10 of the South Carolina Code of Laws (1976), as amended.

Against the peace and dignity of the State, and contrary to the statute in such case made and provided.

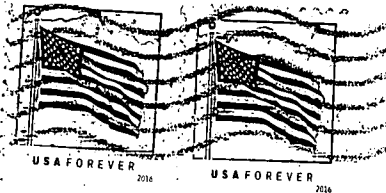


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