

The Supreme Court of South Carolina

Marie Assa'ad-Faltas, Respondent,




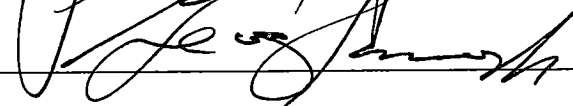
v.

State of South Carolina, Petitioner.

Appellate Case No. 2019-000708

ORDER

This Court denied the requests by Respondent and the South Carolina Commission of Indigent Defense, Division of Appellate Defense (Appellate Defense) to relieve Appellate Defense as counsel for Respondent in this matter in an order dated September 18, 2019. Respondent now asks the Court to reconsider its order indicating "she wishes to be heard for herself or not heard at all." Accordingly, Respondent again asks to represent herself. In addition, Respondent contends Justice James should be recused in this matter. We deny the motion for reconsideration, the request to proceed *pro se*, and the motion to recuse Justice James.


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Beatty, C.J., not participating

Columbia, South Carolina

November 20, 2019

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