

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG)

IN THE SOUTH CAROLINA SUPREME COURT)
APPELLATE CASE NO. 2021-001070)

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NATHAN L. TEAGUE)

May 12 2022

Petitioner,)

S.C. SUPREME COURT

v.)

AFFIDAVIT OF NATHAN L. TEAGUE


STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)

Respondent.)
_____)

PERSONALLY appeared before me, Nathan L. Teague, who being duly sworn, deposes and says:

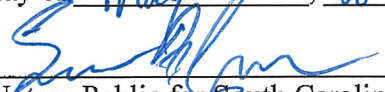
1. I am the Petitioner in the above captioned case.
2. On August 11, 2010, I was indicted by the Orangeburg County Grand Jury for two (2) counts of armed robbery and one (1) count of escape, attempted escape or possess tools to escape from prison, recaptured in state.
3. On June 21, 2012, I pled guilty to armed robbery (2010GS38-1174, 2010GS38-1175) and escape, attempted escape or possess tools to escape from prison, recaptured in state (2010GS38-1178) in front of the Honorable Edgar W. Dickson. I was represented by Michael Culler. Judge Dickson sentenced me to twenty-three years' imprisonment.
4. On May 27, 2014, I had an evidentiary hearing held before the Honorable Maite Murphy. I was represented by Andrew Farley. On August 18, 2014, Judge Murphy denied my PCR application.
5. On December 12, 2017, I had a post-conviction relief (PCR) hearing held before the Honorable Kristi Harrington. I was represented by Arthur K. Aiken. On July 26, 2021, Judge Harrington denied my PCR application.
6. On December 20, 2021, my case was assigned to Sarah E. Shipe, Esquire with the Office of Appellate Defense. On February 15, 2022, I spoke to Ms. Shipe by WebEx video meeting regarding my intention to withdraw my post-conviction relief appeal.
7. On February 15, 2022, I requested that Ms. Shipe send me a "drop affidavit" to drop my post-conviction relief appeal.

8. I understand that I am entitled to an appeal of my PCR application, and that, because I am indigent, I am entitled to the assistance of an attorney from the South Carolina Office of Appellate Defense. I have been informed that if I drop my post-conviction relief appeal I forever waive those issues that could be raised, including in Federal Court.
9. In light of the risks which have been explained to me, it is my desire that the South Carolina Office of Appellate Defense drop the post-conviction relief appeal formerly filed on my behalf.
10. I have made this decision on my own, with a full understanding of all the possible consequences of this action.
11. I do not wish to appeal.



Nathan L. Teague

SWORN TO before me this 12th
day of May, 2002.



(L.S.)
Notary Public for South Carolina
My Commission Expires: October 30, 2002