

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF MARTINSVILLE

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,	}	
	}	RESPONSE TO DEFENDANT'S
	}	MOTION FOR DISCOVERY
	}	
VS:	}	AND
	}	
	}	MOTION FOR RECIPROCAL
BRIAN DAVID HILL,	}	DISCOVERY
	}	
	}	CR19-009

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

COMES NOW the Commonwealth of Virginia by its Commonwealth's Attorney and in response to the Defendant's Motion for Discovery states as follows:

The Commonwealth has no objection to the inspection and copying or photographing by the counsel for the Defendant of those materials specified in Rule 3A:11 of the Rules of the Supreme Court of Virginia, namely:

- 1) Any relevant written or recorded statements or confessions made by the Defendant, or copies thereof, and the substance of any oral statements or confessions made by the Defendant to any law enforcement officer, the existence of which is known to the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and any relevant written reports of autopsies, ballistic tests, fingerprint analysis, blood, urine and breath tests, other scientific reports, and written reports of a physical or mental examination of the Defendant or the alleged victim made in connection with this particular case, or copies thereof, that are known by the Commonwealth's Attorney to be within the possession, custody or control of the Commonwealth, and

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- 2) All of the specifically designated books, papers, documents, tangible objects, buildings or places, or copies or portions thereof, that are within the possession, custody, or control of the Commonwealth, requested by the Defendant.

The Commonwealth requests that the Court require that the inspection and copying or photographing take place at the office of the Commonwealth's Attorney at 55 West Church Street, Martinsville, Virginia, or at some other mutually agreeable location by appointment or at any time during regular business hours.

The Commonwealth moves the Court to require the Defendant not less than ten days before trial to provide reciprocal discovery in accordance with Rule 3A:11(c), namely:

- 1) The Defendant shall permit the Commonwealth, not less than ten days before the trial or sentencing, as the case may be, to inspect, copy and photograph any written reports of autopsy examinations, ballistic tests, fingerprint, blood, urine and breath analyses, and other scientific tests that may be within the Defendant's possession, custody or control and which the defense intends to proffer or introduce into evidence at the trial or sentencing, and
- 2) The Defendant shall disclose whether he or she intends to introduce evidence to establish an alibi and, if so, the Defendant shall disclose the place at which he or she claims to have been at the time of the commission of the alleged offense, and
- 3) If the Defendant intends to rely upon the defense of insanity or feeble-mindedness, the Defendant shall permit the Commonwealth to

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inspect, copy or photograph any written reports of any physical or mental examination of the Defendant made in connection with this particular case.

Respectfully moved,

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

By: 
Asst. Commonwealth's Attorney
City of Martinsville, Virginia

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing response was faxed/mailed/delivered to Scott Albrecht, counsel for defendant, P.O. Drawer 31, Martinsville, Virginia 24112, in the above styled case, on this the 6th day of February, 2019.


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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,
Plaintiff

vs.

CR19-009

BRIAN DAVID HILL,
Defendant.

ORDER REGARDING DISCOVERY

Came this day, the Defendant, Brian David Hill, by counsel, who moved, pursuant to Rule 3A:11 of the Rules of Court, that the Commonwealth's Attorney be directed to permit the Defendant discovery in this case, as set forth in the said Rule, and upon the motion of the attorney of the Commonwealth requesting reciprocal discovery under the said Rule; and,

It appearing to the Court that discovery pursuant to Rule 3A:11(b) should be granted to the Defendant, it is hereby ORDERED that the Commonwealth's Attorney permit counsel for the Defendant to inspect and copy or photograph, within a reasonable time, before the trial or sentencing, the following:

(1) Any relevant written or recorded statements or confessions made by the Defendant, or copies thereof, or the substance of any oral statements or confessions made by the Defendant to any law enforcement officer, the existence of which is known to the attorney for the Commonwealth, any certificates of analysis pursuant to §19.2-187, and any relevant written reports of autopsies, ballistic tests, fingerprint analyses, handwriting analyses, blood, urine, and breath tests, other scientific reports, and written reports of a physical or mental examination of the Defendant or the alleged victim made in connection with this particular case, or copies thereof, that are known by the Commonwealth's Attorney to be within the possession, custody, or

control of the Commonwealth.

(2) Any exculpatory information or evidence under the guidelines established by Brady v. Maryland, 373 U.S. 83 (1963), and subsequent case law, whether by way of statements, real evidence, scientific analysis, or reports, known to or in the possession of the Commonwealth.

(3) The Commonwealth shall promptly notify counsel for the Defendant of the existence of any additional material subsequently discovered (until the time of trial and at trial) which falls within the scope of this motion and make all such additional material available to the Defendant's attorney in accordance with the text and intention of this Motion.

It appearing to the Court that the motion for reciprocal discovery filed by the attorney for the Commonwealth pursuant to Rule 3A:11 should also be granted, it is hereby ORDERED that counsel for the Defendant permit the Commonwealth's Attorney to inspect, copy, or photograph, within a reasonable time, but not less than ten days before the trial or sentencing, any written reports of autopsy examinations, ballistic tests, fingerprints, blood, urine, and breath analyses, and other scientific tests that may be within the Defendant's possession, custody, or control and which the defense intends to proffer or introduce into evidence at the trial or sentencing:

It is further ORDERED that the Defendant disclose whether he or she intends to introduce evidence to establish an alibi, and, if so, to disclose the place at which he or she claims to have been at the time of the commission of the alleged offense.


It is further ORDERED that if the Defendant intends to rely upon the defense of insanity or feeble-mindedness, the Defendant shall permit the Commonwealth to inspect, copy, or photograph any written reports of physical or mental examination of the Defendant made in connection with this particular case.

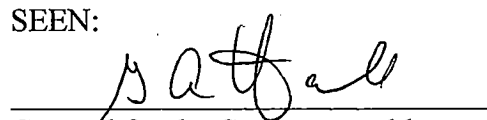
It is further ORDERED that the inspection and copying or photographing by the counsel for the Defendant shall take place at the office of the Commonwealth's Attorney at Martinsville, Virginia, or at some other mutually agreeable location, by appointment or at any convenient time during regular office hours, and that the inspection and copying or photographing by the attorney for the Commonwealth shall take place at the office of the counsel for the Defendant, or at some other mutually agreeable location, by appointment or at any convenient time during regular office hours.

ENTERED this 6th day of February, 2019.


Judge

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