



SUPREME COURT OF GEORGIA  
Case No. S19A1596

August 19, 2019

The Honorable Supreme Court met pursuant to adjournment.

The following order was passed:

LEVITICUS A. SWIFT v. THE STATE.

Swift, whose convictions for malice murder, felony murder, aggravated assault, and kidnapping were affirmed in *Swift v. State*, 274 Ga. 807 (560 SE2d 19) (2002), filed a timely notice of appeal from the trial court's order denying his "Motion for De Novo Hearing." While the appeal is properly in this Court as it arose from a murder case, appellant has identified no statute or constitutional provision which authorizes such an attack on a conviction that has already been affirmed on direct appeal. As this Court routinely dismisses appeals from unauthorized efforts to attack a conviction, see *Williams v. State*, 287 Ga. 192 (695 SE2d 244) (2010); *Harper v. State*, 286 Ga. 216, 217 (686 SE2d 786) (2009), the instant appeal hereby is dismissed.

*All the Justices concur.*

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA  
Clerk's Office, Atlanta

I certify that the above is a true extract from the minutes of the Supreme Court of Georgia.

Witness my signature and the seal of said court hereto affixed the day and year last above written.

*Theresa S. Bane*, Clerk

