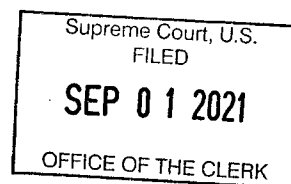


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## SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

Supreme Court Case No. 20-8244

Abdul-Aziz

v. State of New Jersey

(Petitioner)

(Respondent)

**I DO NOT INTEND TO FILE A RESPONSE** to the petition for a writ of certiorari unless one is requested by the Court.

Please check the appropriate boxes:

- ☒ Please enter my appearance as Counsel of Record for all respondents.
- ☐ There are multiple respondents, and I do not represent all respondents. Please enter my appearance as Counsel of Record for the following respondent(s):

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- ☐ I am a member of the Bar of the Supreme Court of the United States.
- ☒ I am not presently a member of the Bar of this Court. Should a response be requested, the response will be filed by a Bar member.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: August 31, 2021

(Type or print) Name Michele C. Buckley

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A COPY OF THIS FORM MUST BE SENT TO PETITIONER'S COUNSEL OR TO PETITIONER IF *PRO SE*. PLEASE INDICATE BELOW THE NAME(S) OF THE RECIPIENT(S) OF A COPY OF THIS FORM. NO ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE IS REQUIRED.

CC:



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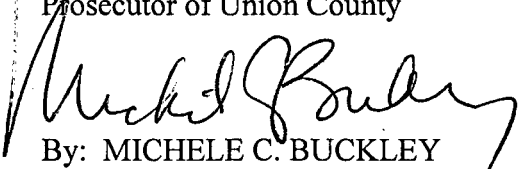
Re: Abdul-Aziz v. State of New Jersey  
No.  
N.J. Appellate Division Docket No. A-4795-17T3

Dear Mr. Harris:

The State has received a copy of Petitioner's Petition for a Writ of Certiorari. Although the matter has not been docketed at this time, please find Respondent's Waiver to File a Response unless one is requested by the Court. Also enclosed is a certificate of service.

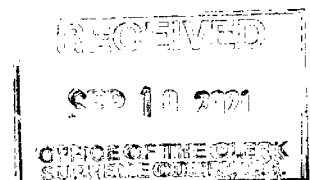
Very truly yours,

WILLIAM A. DANIEL  
Prosecutor of Union County

  
By: MICHELE C. BUCKLEY  
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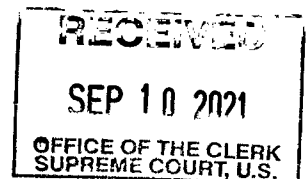
STATE OF NEW JERSEY, Respondent  
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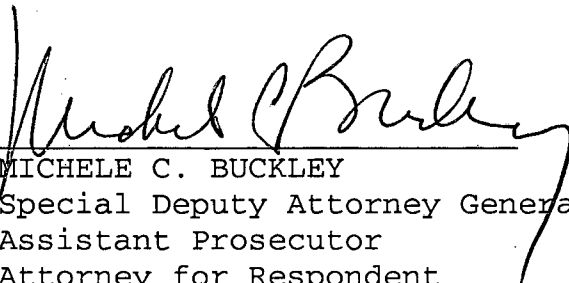
I, Michele C. Buckley, do swear or declare that on this date, August 31, 2021, as required by Supreme Court Rule 29, I have served the enclosed WAIVER on each party to the above proceeding or that party's counsel, and on every other person required to be served by depositing an envelope containing the above document in the United States mail properly addressed to each of them and with first-class postage prepaid.

The names and addresses of those served are as follows:

Abdul-Aziz, pro se, SBI# 690978E, New Jersey State Prison, P.O. Box 861, Trenton, N.J. 08625-0861.



I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true  
and correct.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michele C. Buckley", is written over a horizontal line.

MICHELE C. BUCKLEY  
Special Deputy Attorney General  
Assistant Prosecutor  
Attorney for Respondent  
The State of New Jersey