


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IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA  
FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT SITKA

STATE OF ALASKA )  
Plaintiff, )  
v. )  
JASON A. ABBOTT, )  
DOB: 06/01/1989 )  
AK OL: 7023193 )  
APSIN: 7058657 )  
ATN: 109-642-203 )  
DOV: 03/25/2008 )  
Defendant. )

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Case No.: 1SI-08- CR

AFFIDAVIT OF COUNSEL

STATE OF ALASKA )  
FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT )ss.

Doug Gardner, being first duly sworn, deposes and states as follows:

1. I am employed as an attorney by the State of Alaska;
2. I have spoken to and reviewed the report of Sitka Police Detective Roger

Stevener which states that on March 25, 2008, at about 11:44 a.m., the Sitka Police Department received a 911 call reporting a male stabbing people. Officer Sadowski and Sgt. Smith arrived at the residence and encountered two female victims, M.R. and A.A., outside who were covered in blood. The defendant was on the front porch, armed with a knife and holding it to his own throat. The defendant was subdued with a Taser and when he fell, he inflicted a knife wound to his face and was transported to Sitka Community Hospital for treatment;

3. Detective Stevener arrived and entered the residence to look for other victims who might be in need of medical aid. In the living area he saw a male known to him as J.A. seated in a recliner and covered in blood. EMS personnel determined that J.A. was dead. E.A. was located in the bathroom, face down, in a pool of blood, with one obvious stab wound in her back. In the bedroom directly across from the bathroom,

1 C.T. was found face down in a pool of blood. There was also one obvious stab wound  
2 to his back;

3 4. A.A. was transported to Mt. Edgecumbe hospital and died on the  
4 operating table. Detective Stevener observed multiple wounds, consistent with stab  
5 wounds about her arms, back, chest and abdomen. There appeared to be severe  
6 defensive wounds on A.A.'s right forearm;

7 5. Later that evening, Detective Stevener interviewed M.R. at Sitka  
8 Community Hospital who stated that she had awoken to the sound of her mother A.A.  
9 screaming. She stated that she went downstairs and saw her mother coming out of the  
10 building covered in blood. M.R. said that she entered the house and saw the defendant  
11 near the bathroom. She stated that the defendant came toward her with a knife and she  
12 fled the residence. M.R. stated that the defendant chased her and caught her in the  
13 driveway where she had fallen. She said the defendant was on top of her stabbing her  
14 repeatedly. M.R. stated she was screaming and begging him to stop. She said that the  
15 attack ended when the police arrived;

16 6. Detective Stevener also spoke with two witnesses who said that they  
17 heard screaming, looked out a glass door and saw the defendant on top of M.R. stabbing  
18 her. They also said they saw A.A. bleeding heavily and walking down the street. Two  
19 additional witnesses told Detective Stevener that they were walking in the area when  
20 they saw A.A. standing in the doorway, covered in blood and asking for help. The  
21 witnesses said that they saw M.R. come out of the residence with the defendant in  
22 pursuit. They said the defendant caught M.R. in the driveway and began to stab her  
23 repeatedly;

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1           7.     The defendant admitted to the ER doctor and Detective Carlton that he  
2 had stabbed J.A., E.A. and A.A. The defendant stated that he used his left hand to stab  
3 his victims.

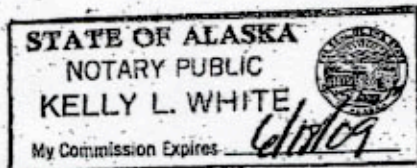
4           FURTHER THIS AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

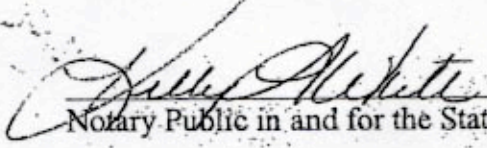
5                           TALIS J. COLBERG  
6                           ATTORNEY GENERAL

7                           by: 

8                           Doug Gardner 9402009  
9                           District Attorney

10          SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2008.



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17                           Notary Public in and for the State of Alaska