

# SUPREME COURT COPY

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May 7, 2014

The Honorable Frank McGuire  
California Supreme Court  
Office of the Clerk  
350 McAllister Street  
San Francisco, CA 94102

SUPREME COURT  
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Frank A. McGuire Clerk

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Deputy

Re: *People v. Grimes*, S076339

Dear Mr. McGuire:

I represent appellant Gary Grimes in the above captioned case. The case has been calendered for argument on May 28, 2014.

Time permitting, I will focus on three issues: (1) the trial court's exclusion of evidence that John Morris admitted acting alone in committing the murder (presented as Argument IV in Appellant's Opening Brief and Argument III in Appellant's Reply Brief), (2) the trial court's discharge of prospective juror John Woolbert (presented as Argument II in both Appellant's Opening Brief and Appellant's Reply Brief), and (3) the trial court's discharge of prospective juror Abel Jasso (presented as Argument I in both Appellant's Opening Brief and Reply Brief).

If you have any questions, or need any additional information, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



Cliff Gardner

DEATH PENALTY

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned, declare as follows:

I am a citizen of the United States, over the age of 18 years and not a party to the within action. My business address is 1448 San Pablo Avenue, Berkeley, California 94702. I am not a party to this action.

On May 7, 2014, I served the within

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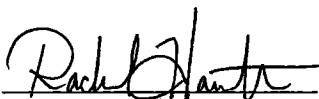
upon the parties named below by depositing a true copy in a United States mailbox in Berkeley, California, in a sealed envelope, postage prepaid, and addressed as follows:

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true. Executed on May 7, 2014, in Berkeley, California.

  
Declarant