

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

CATHERINE W. CULP, )  
 ) No. 478, 2009  
 Defendant Below, )  
 Appellant, ) Court Below: Superior Court  
 ) of the State of Delaware in  
 v. ) and for Kent County  
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 STATE OF DELAWARE, ) Cr. ID No. 9807019438  
 )  
 Plaintiff Below, )  
 Appellee. )

Submitted: November 4, 2009

Decided: December 8, 2009

Before **STEELE**, Chief Justice, **HOLLAND** and **JACOBS**, Justices.

***ORDER***

This 8<sup>th</sup> day of December 2009, after careful consideration of appellant's opening brief and the State's motion to affirm, we find it manifest that the judgment below should be affirmed on the basis of the Superior Court's well-reasoned decision dated July 13, 2009. The Superior Court did not err in concluding that appellant's motion for postconviction relief was time-barred and that appellant had failed to overcome this procedural hurdle.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the judgment of the Superior Court is AFFIRMED.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Myron T. Steele  
Chief Justice