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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA**

Michael Joe Murdaugh,

Petitioner,

vs.

Charles L. Ryan, et al.,

Respondents.

) No. CV 09-831-PHX-FJM

) DEATH PENALTY CASE

) **ORDER**

To ensure efficient review and adjudication of Petitioner’s federal habeas claims, it is essential that the Court obtain a copy of the state court record.

Accordingly,

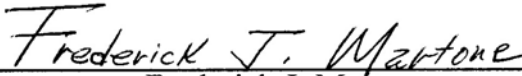
IT IS ORDERED that the Clerk of the Arizona Supreme Court transmit a copy of the minutes, instruments and transcripts from Petitioner’s trial and sentencing (Maricopa County Superior Court No. CR1995-006472); the minutes, instruments and transcripts from any Rule 32 proceedings in the possession of the Arizona Supreme Court; and a copy of any briefs filed in the Arizona Supreme Court (Arizona Supreme Court No. CR-01-0421-AP; any related Special Action proceedings; and any related petitions for review) to:

Richard H. Weare, Clerk, United States District Court
401 West Washington Street, Suite 130, SPC 1
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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of Court send a copy of this Order to:
Rachelle M. Resnick, Clerk of the Arizona Supreme Court, 1501 W. Washington, Suite 402,
Phoenix, Arizona 85007-3329.

DATED this 3rd day of June, 2009.



Frederick J. Martone
United States District Judge