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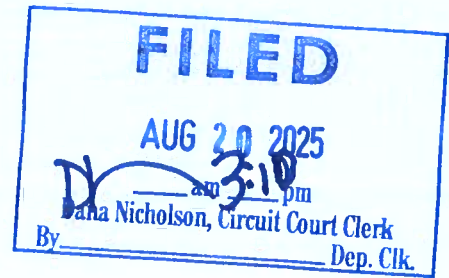
Matthew Amick – [Inmate #00643527]

Whiteville Correctional Facility,

P.O. Box 679,

1440 Union Springs Rd,

Whiteville, Tennessee [38075].



DEFENDANT'S NOTICE OF PRO SE FILING

In re:

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HICKMAN COUNTYAT CENTERVILLE, TENNESSEE

STATE OF TENNESSEE

Plaintiff

vs.

Matthew Amick

Defendant/appellant

§ NO. 21-5100-CR; 19-5081-CR; 19-5144-CR

§ 17-5274-CR

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DEFENDANT'S NOTICE OF PRO SE FILING AMENDED MOTION FOR NEW TRIAL, AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT AND MATTHEW AMICK STATEMENT OF THE CASE AFFIDAVIT/DECLARATION, TO THE HONORABLE COURT, ALL COUNSEL OF RECORD, AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES:

Comes now Matthew Amick, Defendant herein, appearing In Propria Persona under and by special appearance and pursuant to the Constitution for the United States of America and the

This document is prepared by defendant Matthew Amick in private capacity for immediate public recording.

Tennessee State Constitution as one of the People and makes this filing as such, recognized in Faretta v. California, 422 U.S. 806 (1975) and related authority, and hereby gives formal Notice of Filing the following affidavit with incorporated exhibits:

Title of Filed Document:

- 1) Amended Motion for New Trial, 51 Pages.
- 2) Affidavit in Support of Amended Motion for Post-Conviction Relief and Motion for New Trial, 50 pages.
- 3) Matthew Amick Statement of the Case Affidavit/Declaration, 214 Page incorporating Rule 103 Offer(s) of Proof, Exhibits A through R.

Filed Incorporated Materials as Rule 103(a)(1)(2) Offer(s) of Proof 1, A through 18, R as described:

- Exhibit A: Private Family and Sportsmanship Photos in support of responsible 2nd Amendment ownership. (4 pages)
- Exhibit B: Motion to Add John Seaborn, Regarding Rebecca's False Statements in 17-5274-CR (4 pages)
- Exhibit C: Expungement Order of 17-5274-CR, Signed by Stacey B. Edmonson, Douglas T. Bates IV, and Michael E. Spitzer (2 pages)
- Exhibit D: Affidavit of Janet Amick, False Witness of Manny Balmez (8 pages)
- Exhibit E: Donald L. Boyd Jr. Affidavit of Conversation with Johnny Davis, Hickman County Sheriff's Office confirming investigation of Balmez and Cornelius, (5 pages)
- Exhibit F: Certified Acknowledgment from Clerk of Court, Dana Nicholson – No Notice of Appearance of Michael Flanagan in 19-5081-CR, 19-5144-CR, 21-5100-CR (5 pages)
- Exhibit G: Letter from Stacey B. Edmonson – No Affidavits of Complaint in 19-5081-CR (1 page)
- Exhibit H: Email from Tim Wills Confirming Non-representation of Matthew Amick (1 page)
- Exhibit I: Letter of Seth Amick (as Dictated) and Affidavit of Janet Amick (7 pages)

- Exhibit J: Email of Douglas T. Bates IV – Admission re: Questionable Search Warrant (1 page)
- Exhibit K: Affidavit of Karey Amick – 404 E. Kelly Rd. Address of his Motor Home/Bus (2 pages)
- Exhibit L: Affidavit of Dennis Jones – Assessment of Bates' Bias Prior to Hire (3 pages)
- Exhibit M: Text Messages and Photos – Bates and Matthew Amick; Rebecca's Assault of Matthew; Bates' Assistance with Disposal (19 pages)
- Exhibit N: Photos and Messages with Grand Jury Foreman Anderson (12 pages)
- Exhibit O: Letters and Emails of Michael Flanagan (39 pages)
- Exhibit P: Affidavit of Janet Amick – Bates' Court Appearance for Rebecca Seaborn Amick (10 pages)
- Exhibit Q: Public Notice and Demand – Offer to Remedy all Claims –Published for 3 Consecutive Weeks in Hickman, Lewis and Perry Counties (5 pages)
- Exhibit R: Transcript of Bond Hearing (Partial) and Declaration – Rule 24 (18 pages)

Legal Authority and Purpose of Filing:

This filing is made under the authority of Faretta v. California, Haines v. Kerner, and Erickson v. Pardus, and must be liberally construed in favor of the pro se Defendant. All filings are made without waiver of counsel, and under special appearance, reserving all jurisdictional objections.

Evidentiary Clarification and Offer of Proof:

This Affidavit/Declaration is not offered as "new evidence", but as a corrective proffer to supplement and clarify the existing record. It represents what Defendant would have truthfully testified to at trial or sentencing but for counsel's unconstitutional conduct, including requiring Defendant to provide false testimony and failing to prepare or permit accurate testimony.

This filing is made pursuant to Tennessee Rule of Evidence 103(a)(2) (offer of proof) to preserve the evidentiary record, and to support constitutional claims of ineffective assistance of counsel under Strickland v. Washington, 466 U.S. 668 (1984), and violation of the Defendant's right to testify under Rock v. Arkansas, 483 U.S. 44 (1987). The Affidavit also supports post-conviction

review under Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-30-103, and conforms to procedural fairness under Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 28 § 9.

The Defendant asserts that he was permitted to testify, but was compelled to provide false testimony due to defense counsel's coercion, thereby violating his right to testify fully and truthfully and undermining the adversarial process. Such conduct constitutes a structural violation affecting the fundamental fairness of the proceedings.

Notice of Rescission of Signature(s):

The Defendant/affiant, within his Matthew Amick Statement of the Case Affidavit/Declaration, rescinds all his signatures or endorsements of Matthew Amick in the above Cause Numbers for the cause of fraud, on all documents that do not originate expressly from him. Any security instruments created thereby are null and void and further, he has never seen any original charging instruments. This rescission is declared in good-faith with intent to settle and close all matters.

Certificate of Service:

A true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by hand of _____, _____ to Clerk of Court, Dana Nicholson, 104 College Ave., Centerville, TN 37033 and pursuant to Tenn. R. Crim. P. 49(c) and Tenn. R. Civ. P. 5.02(2). I authorize and will rely upon the Clerk of Court to file, make copies and serve all interested parties and opposing counsel timely.

Requested on this ____ day of August, 2025 to:

Respectfully submitted,



Matthew Amick, In Propria Persona and Specially

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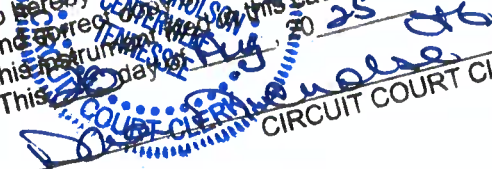
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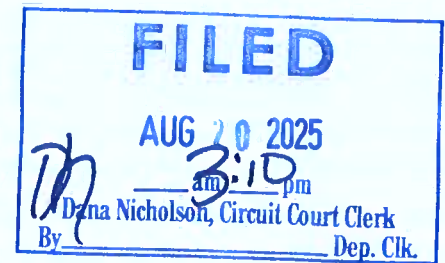
Amanda J. Gentry, TSBA#32498

Law Office of Amanda J. Gentry

2021 Richard Jones Rd. #210A, Nashville, TN 37215

STATE OF TENNESSEE, HICKMAN COUNTY
I, the undersigned Circuit Court Clerk
do hereby certify that this is a true
and correct copy of the original of
this instrument filed in this cause.
This day of Aug, 2025

CIRCUIT COURT CLERK

Clerk of Court Nicholson,



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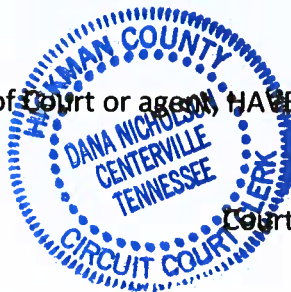
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I, [Signature] Clerk of Court or agent, HAVE received the documents listed.

Or

I, _____ Clerk of Court or agent, HAVE NOT received the documents listed.

Court Stamp:



Court Seal:

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I, the undersigned Circuit Court Clerk
do hereby certify that this is a true
and correct copy of the original of
this instrument filed in this cause.
This 20 day of Aug, 2025

[Signature]
CIRCUIT COURT CLERK



Angie Lockett, Register

Hickman County

OFFICIAL ORIGINAL RECEIPT

Receipt Number: 93663
Receipt Date: 8/20/2025
Receipted By: RWhitaker
Cash Drawer: DEEWRK2

Transaction Fee Detail

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	STATE OF TENNESSEE/AMICK MATTHEW					
					AMOUNT DUE:	\$32.00

Payment Information

Type of Payment	Reference	Payor	Auth	Amount	
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				BALANCE DUE:	\$0.00

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