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FICTITIOUS NAME REGISTRATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Application for Registration of Fictitious Name was filed in the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on January 22, 2019 for LEMCO RENOVATIONS at 323 East King Street, Littlestown, PA 17340. The name and address of each individual interested in the business is Jesse Charles Lemmon at 323 East King Street, Littlestown, PA 17340. This was filed in accordance with 54 PaC.S. 311.

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FICTITIOUS NAME REGISTRATION

An application for registration of the fictitious name ELECTRONIC ADDICTIONS, 41 Ridge Trail, Fairfield, PA 17320 has been filed in the Department of State at Harrisburg, PA, File Date 01/15/2019 pursuant to the Fictitious Names Act, Act 1982-295. The name and address of the person who is a party to the registration is Bradley S. Willard, 41 Ridge Trail, Fairfield, PA 17320.

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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, CP-01-CR-1388-2018, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA VS. KRISTOPHER Z. GARTRELL.

Brian R. Sinnett, Esq., Attorney for Commonwealth Kristin L. Rice, Esq., Attorney for Defendant Campbell, J., March 7, 2019

OPINION ON DEFENDANT'S PETITION FOR HABEAS CORPUS

Presently before the Court is Defendant Kristopher Z. Gartrell's Petition for Habeas Corpus, filed January 9, 2019. A hearing on the Petition was held on February 4, 2019. The issue before this Court is whether the Commonwealth presented a sufficient prima facie case at the preliminary hearing of December 5, 2018 on the criminal homicide and theft by unlawful taking charges. For the reasons set forth below, Defendant's Petition for Habeas Corpus is denied.

BACKGROUND

At the preliminary hearing, the Commonwealth called Trooper Joshua Lawrence of the Pennsylvania State Police as its only witness. Trooper Lawrence testified that on November 21, 2018, he was dispatched to 185 Peach Glen-Idaville Road, Huntington Township,

Adams County ("the residence") concerning a deceased (person) found under a bed at that location. Transcript of 12/5/18 Preliminary Hearing (hereinafter "Tr.") at 8. Trooper Lawrence provided a detailed description of the layout of the residence, including observations of burn patterns within the house, expended matches, an odor of gasoline, scorched paper towel pieces, and two gasoline containers. Tr. at 9-12. Trooper Lawrence testified he made observations regarding the deceased eighty-seven (87) year old victim, Virginia Barbour. Trooper Lawrence indicated he observed the victim's body under her bed, wrapped in bed linens, in the same bedroom where the gas canisters were located. Tr. at 13. Trooper Lawrence indicated that once the bed linens were removed from the victim's body, he observed the victim's body in a substantially nude state with the exception of an opened blouse and a handkerchief tied around her neck. Tr. at 14-15. Trooper Lawrence also observed blood around the victim's mouth and genitals, as well as blood spotting, known as petechiae, in the victim's eyes. Tr. at 15-16.

Trooper Lawrence also testified that he observed long guns stacked in a pile on a chair located in the victim's bedroom. Tr. at 15. Trooper Lawrence also indicated that two gun cases with shattered glass fronts were located in a spare bedroom of the residence. Tr. at 16-17. Trooper Lawrence also observed firearm containers full of coins in the same spare bedroom the shattered gun cases were in. Tr. at 17, 33. That spare bedroom was the victim's son's room until just a few years earlier. Trooper Lawrence also testified to observing that the victim's Chevrolet Impala was missing from the residence's garage. Tr. at 18.

Two days later, Trooper Lawrence was one of the Pennsylvania State Troopers that effectuated the arrest of Defendant at the Presidential Inn Suites located in Gettysburg Borough. Tr. at 21. Trooper Lawrence indicated that during the events surrounding the arrest, he observed a .44 caliber handgun in plain view in Defendant's backpack, which was in close proximity to the Defendant. Trooper Lawrence personally confirmed that Defendant had a prior conviction, which precluded his possession of firearms. Tr. at 24. The victim's son positively identified the .44 magnum revolver found in Defendant's backpack as belonging to him. Tr. at 35. Trooper Lawrence testified that the victim's son indicated to him that there was a TV missing from the dining room, numerous firearms had been removed from the residence, as well as coins. Tr. at 12, 17-18. Trooper Lawrence also testified regarding a preliminary autopsy report. Trooper Lawrence testified that the report, authored by Doctor Bollinger of Forensic Pathology Associates, indicated that the cause of death for the victim was asphyxia. Tr. at 19. He also testified that the report indicated the petechiae observed by Trooper Lawrence were also found by Dr. Bollinger and were further indications of asphyxia. Tr. at 20.

Trooper Lawrence also testified to statements made by Defendant following his arrest. Trooper Lawrence testified that Defendant indicated that the clothes Defendant was wearing at the time of his arrest were stolen from the victim's residence. Tr. at 23. Trooper Lawrence further testified that Defendant indicated during an interview that Defendant entered the victim's residence with intent to commit burglary. Tr. at 25. Trooper Lawrence testified that Defendant admitted to tying up and raping the victim. Tr. at 25-26. Trooper Lawrence further testified that Defendant admitted to strangling the victim to death before wrapping her body in bed linens and placing her body under the bed. Tr. at 26. Finally, Trooper Lawrence testified that Defendant admitted to taking items from the residence, including firearms, coins, and the victim's vehicle, before twice attempting to burn the residence down. Tr. at 26-27.

Defendant is charged with criminal homicide¹, kidnapping to facilitate felony², kidnapping to inflect injury/terror³, rape by forcible compulsion⁴, aggravated arson⁵, burglary of an occupied structure⁶, robbery⁷, persons not to possess a firearm⁸, and theft by unlawful taking⁹. Following the preliminary hearing, the Magisterial District Judge bound the charges over for trial. Defendant is incarcerated at the Adams County Adult Correctional Complex without bail.

- ² 18 Pa.C.S. 2901(a)(2) (F1)
- ³ 18 Pa.C.S. 2901(a)(3) (F1)
- ⁴ 18 Pa.C.S. 3121(a)(1) (F1)
- ⁵ 18 Pa.C.S. 3301(a)(11)(ii) (F1)
- ⁶ 18 Pa.C.S. 3502(a)(1) (F1)
- ⁷ 18 Pa.C.S. 3701(a)(1) (F1)
- ⁸ 18 Pa.C.S. 6105(a)(1) (F1)
- ⁹ 18 Pa.C.S. 3921(a) (F2)

¹ 18 Pa.C.S. 2501 (H1)

DISCUSSION

Defendant argues that the admission of hearsay evidence through the testimony of Trooper Lawrence at the preliminary hearing, specifically Dr. Bollinger's autopsy report and statements from the victim's son concerning ownership of property, deprived Defendant of his substantive and due process rights to confront the witnesses against him. Further, Defendant argues that without the hearsay evidence admitted at the preliminary hearing, the Commonwealth failed to establish a prima facie case for the criminal homicide and theft by unlawful taking charges. This Court disagrees.

The admissibility of hearsay evidence at a preliminary hearing is governed by the Pennsylvania Rules of Criminal Procedure:

Hearsay, as provided by law, shall be considered by the issuing authority in determining whether a prima facie case has been established. Hearsay evidence shall be sufficient to establish any element of an offense, including, but not limited to, those requiring proof of the ownership of, non-permitted use of, damage to, or value of property.

Pa. R. Crim. P. 542(E).

The Pennsylvania Superior Court in **Commonwealth v. Ricker**, 120 A.3d 349 (Pa. Super. 2015) provides binding precedent on the interpretation of Rule 542(E):

Rule 542(E) is not in conflict with any binding precedent. A plain reading of the rule indicates that it permits hearsay evidence to be considered in determining any material element of a crime. Specifically, the rule provides in relevant part, "Hearsay as provided by law shall be considered by the issuing authority in determining whether a *prima facie* case has been established. Hearsay evidence shall be sufficient to establish any element of an offense." Pa.R.Crim.P. 542(E) (emphases added). If hearsay evidence is sufficient to establish one or more elements of the crime, it follows that, under the rule, it is sufficient to meet all of the elements. Accordingly, we find that the rule does allow hearsay evidence alone to establish a prima facie case.

Id. at 357. (Emphasis in original).

Defendant encourages this Court to "interpret Rule 542(E) as allowing only the admission of limited hearsay from non-critical witnesses, and Rule 542(C) as ensuring a right to confrontation of critical witnesses." This suggested interpretation is inconsistent with binding Pennsylvania Superior Court precedent and this court with not adopt it.

The Rules of Criminal Procedure are promulgated exclusively by the Pennsylvania Supreme Court.¹⁰ That body is also the final arbiter in Pennsylvania as to the constitutionality under the Pennsylvania Constitution, of rules, statutes and decisions affecting the rights of an accused.¹¹ If the Pennsylvania Supreme Court wishes to re-write the Pennsylvania Rules of Criminal Procedure promulgated by it to include a limitation permitting hearsay testimony only from "noncritical witnesses" that body certainly has the ability to do so. But it is not for this Court to engage in judicial activism by ignoring the most current Pennsylvania appellate precedent on the issue and reading into a Rule of Criminal Procedure words that the Pennsylvania Supreme Court has not yet seen fit to include therein. Rather, the role of this Court is to apply Rules of Criminal Procedure and the law as it is written, and as it has been interpreted through direct, on point appellate precedent, to the facts of this case.

With regard to the admissibility of Trooper Lawrence's testimony concerning the pathology report, significant appellate precedent that predates **Ricker** allows for the admission of otherwise hearsay testimony about expert reports at preliminary hearings. See, **Commonwealth v. Rick**, 366 A.2d 302 (Pa. Super. 1976). Importantly, appellate authority clearly provides that an autopsy report is admissible at a preliminary hearing through hearsay testimony from the affiant. **Commonwealth v. Davis**, 454 A.2d 92 (Pa. Super. 1982).

Defendant also argues that allowing hearsay at the preliminary hearing violates the United States Constitution's and Pennsylvania Constitution's confrontation clauses. The United States Constitution provides, in pertinent part, "In all criminal prosecutions, the accused shall enjoy the right... to be confronted with the witnesses against

¹⁰ Pa. Const. Art. 5, Sect. 10; Commonwealth v. McMullen, 961 A.2d 842, 847 (Pa. 2008).

¹¹ Stilp v. Commonwealth, 905 A.2d 918, 953 (Pa. 2006).

him..." U.S. Const. Amend. 6. Similarly, the Pennsylvania Constitution states, in pertinent part, "In all criminal prosecutions the accused hath a right... to be confronted with the witnesses against him..." Pa. Const. Art. 1, Sect. 9. The Pennsylvania Constitution "provides a criminal defendant with the same protection as the Sixth Amendment," Commonwealth v. Atkinson, 987 A.2d 743, 745 (Pa. Super. 2009).

The **Ricker** court discusses, at length, the applicability of the confrontation clauses to preliminary hearings. In delving into over a century of case law and legislative history, the **Ricker** court held that "the probable intent of the makers of the respective confrontation clauses and the original meaning placed on the text by those who ratified the provisions in question did not constitutionally guarantee a right to confront witnesses *before trial*. Appellant's confrontation clause arguments, therefore, fail." **Ricker**, 120 A.3d at 363 (emphasis added). The confrontation clause affords a Defendant the right to confront witnesses against him *at trial*. It is basically a trial right. **Barber v. Page**, 390 U.S. 719, 725 (1968). Our Supreme Court has consistently held that "A preliminary hearing is not a trial in any sense of the word." **Commonwealth v. Rashed**, 436 A.2d 134, 137 (Pa. 1981). The right to confrontation does not extend to preliminary hearings. **Pennsylvania v. Ritchie**, 480 U.S. 39, 52 (1987).

The long-standing precedent that holds there is no right to confrontation in the constitutional sense at a preliminary hearing is supported when considering the role a preliminary hearing plays in *pretrial* procedures. The purpose of a preliminary hearing is to determine whether the Commonwealth has a prima facie case against the accused. That requires evidence of each element of the crime charged. **Commonwealth v. Landis**, 48 A.3d 432, 444 (Pa. Super. 2012). The credibility of witnesses is not considered¹² and all inferences are drawn in favor of the Commonwealth. **Id**.

Applying the binding precedent of **Ricker**, **Rick** and **Davis** and the clear language of **Rule 542(E)** as adopted by the Pennsylvania Supreme Court to the facts of this case, it is clear that the admission of Dr. Bollinger's autopsy report and statements from the victim's son, through Trooper Lawrence was proper. The Commonwealth has

¹² Liciaga v. Court of Common Pleas of Lehigh County, 566 A.2d 246, 248 (Pa. 1989).

established a prima facie case with respect to all charges bound over. Accordingly, Defendant is not entitled to relief.

Defendant's argument also completely ignores the fact that Defendant admitted to tying up, raping, and strangling the victim to death, stealing various items, including a vehicle and firearms from the residence, and his attempts to burn the residence down. These statements are clearly admissible under Pa. R. E. 803(25)(a) and 804(b)(3) as admissions by a party opponent and statements against interest. The Defendant's admissions coupled with the personal observations of Trooper Lawrence at the residence, which corroborate Defendant's confessions, serve to satisfy the Corpus Delicti rule and would be sufficient to bind all charges over for trial. Hence, even if this Court were to rule the hearsay statements of the victim's son and the preliminary autopsy report of Doctor Bollinger were erroneously admitted at the preliminary hearing, such error would be harmless. Defendant's confessions together with the physical evidence found at the scene are sufficient to establish a prima facie case against the Defendant.

Therefore, due to binding precedent directly addressing each of Defendant's arguments, Defendant's Petition for Habeas Corpus is denied.

ORDER

AND NOW, this 7th day of March, 2019, for the reasons set forth the Defendant's Petition for Habeas Corpus is denied.

ESTATE NOTICES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in the estates of the decedents set forth below, the Register of Wills has granted letters, testamentary of or administration to the persons named. All persons having claims or demands against said estates are requested to make known the same, and all persons indebted to said estates are requested to make payment without delay to the executors or administrators or their attorneys named below.

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