VIRGINIA:

In the Supreme Court of Virginia held at the Supreme Court Building in the City of Richmond on Thursday the 15th day of November, 2018.

Present: All the Justices

Askia Cuff,

Appellant,

against

Record No. 171239

Court of Appeals No. 1300-16-4

Commonwealth of Virginia,

Appellee.

Upon an appeal from a judgment rendered by the Court of Appeals of Virginia.

In this case, we awarded appellant an appeal from the judgment of the Court of Appeals holding that the trial court did not err in its denial of appellant's motion to withdraw his guilty pleas to the charges of rape, sexual battery, burglary, attempted robbery, use of a firearm in the commission of a felony, assault and battery while part of a mob, assault and battery, brandishing a firearm, and two counts of attempted abduction. Cuff v. Commonwealth, Record No. 1300-16-4, 2017 Va. App. LEXIS 206 (Aug. 15, 2017).

We have considered the record, briefs and argument of counsel, and for the reasons stated in the opinion of the Court of Appeals, we will affirm the judgment.

This order shall be certified to the Court of Appeals of Virginia and the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria.

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Jan L Hamish