

NO. COA 22-84

FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

NORTH CAROLINA COURT OF APPEALS

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA)	
)	
v.)	<u>From Onslow County</u>
)	
GERALD DEWAYNE JACKSON,)	
JR.)	

STATE'S RESPONSE TO PETITION FOR
WRIT OF CERTIORARI

**TO: THE HONORABLE CHIEF JUDGE AND ASSOCIATE JUDGES
OF THE NORTH CAROLINA COURT OF APPEALS**

NOW COMES the State of North Carolina, by and through undersigned counsel, and responding to petitioner's petition for writ of certiorari filed 4 March 2022, respectfully submits it is within this Court's discretion whether to allow defendant's petition for writ of certiorari.

Electronically submitted this the 7th day of March, 2022.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day served the foregoing STATE'S
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