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Circuit Court – Criminal
Jury Trials – Viera
March 28, 2014

Present: Morgan Reinman, Judge
T. Brown , Asst. State Attny
J. McMaster, Asst. State Attny
M. Pirollo, Defense Attny
R. Moore, Defense Attny
M. Lanning, Defense Attny
S. Tuttle, Court Clerk
P. Mumford, Court Clerk
N. Blakenship, Court Deputy
D. Kenworthy, Court Deputy

The Court Deputy opened court according to law. (8:34am)

STATE OF FLORIDA
Plaintiff,

CASE NO.
05-2012-CF-35337-AXXX-XX

VS

Brandon Lee Bradley ,
Defendant.

The defendant appeared in open court with his Attorneys Michael Pirollo, Mark Lanning, and Randy Moore ready to proceed with a jury trial in this matter.

State of Florida is represented by Assistant State Attorneys Thomas Brown and James McMaster and is ready to proceed with a jury trial in this matter.

All parties were present and ready to proceed.

Court spoke with counsel regarding the issue of Deputy Brett Cook's potential testimony.

Defense counsel informed the Court that Deputy Cook and Ms. Andria Kerchner would no longer be called as witnesses in their case.

Court spoke with counsel regarding scheduling issues.

Court heard other motions from counsel and made rulings on the record.

Court is at rest. (8:47am)

Court heard argument from counsel regarding potential testimony from a defense witness, Palm Bay Police Officer Cassandra Woronka. (8:59am)

Court is in recess for a short break. (9:09am)

Court reconvened. (9:24am)

All parties were present and ready to proceed.

Court announced her ruling on the testimony of Officer Woronka, overruling the state's objection. (9:25am)

State's counsel requested the court provide the jury instructions related to another potential defense witness's testimony.



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Court made ruling on the record.

Court instructed the court deputy to bring the jury into the courtroom. (9:32am)

Court recognized the following jury in the box:

Court questioned the jury to verify they had upheld their oath over the break.

Court announced to the jury that the defendant is currently under psychotropic medications and what that may entail.

Defense witness #4 Officer Cassandra Woronka, was called, sworn, and testified. (9:36am)

Bench conference. (9:42am)

All parties were present and ready to proceed.

Jury remained in the box.

Witness remained on the stand.

Testimony continued.

Court read two instructions of the court to the jury. (9:43am)

Defense witness #5 Dr. Susan Skolly-Danziger, was called, sworn, and testified. (9:45am)

Bench conference. (9:58am)

All parties were present and ready to proceed.

Jury remained in the box.

Witness remained on the stand.

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Testimony continued.

Bench conference. (10:12am)

All parties were present and ready to proceed.

Jury remained in the box.

Witness remained on the stand.

Testimony continued.

Bench conference. (10:50am)

All parties were present and ready to proceed.

Jury remained in the box.

Witness remained on the stand.

Testimony continued.

Bench conference. (10:54am)

All parties were present and ready to proceed.

Jury remained in the box.

Trial continued.

The Court spoke briefly with the jury and released the jury for the day with instruction to return to jury duty at 9:00am on March 31, 2014 and to honor their oath. (11:01am)

Court spoke with counsel regarding instructions related to diminished capacity. (11:02am)

Bench conference. (11:03am)

All parties were present and ready to proceed.

Court announced it will address motions on Monday, March 31, 2014 at 8:30am.

State informed the Court of scheduling issues in the penalty phase of the trial.

Court spoke briefly with counsel.

Court is in recess for the day. (11:08am)