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| DISTRICT COURT, ARAPAHOE COUNTY, STATE OF COLORADO 7325 S. Potomac St. Centennial, Colorado 80112 | ▲ COURT USE ONLY ▲ |
| PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF COLORADO v. JAMES EAGAN HOLMES, Defendant | Case No. 12CR1522 Division: 201 |
| <p style="text-align: center;">NOTICE OF LABELING AS “C-217” COURT’S: (1) DRAFT PHASE 1 INTRODUCTORY INSTRUCTIONS; (2) DRAFT PHASE 1 FINAL INSTRUCTIONS; AND (3) DRAFT PHASE 2 INTRODUCTORY INSTRUCTIONS</p> | |

The Court started selecting a jury on January 20, 2015. On July 16, the jury returned its verdicts. Because the jury found the defendant guilty of 24 counts of Murder in the First Degree, the Court will hold a capital sentencing hearing starting July 22.

Attached to this Order are the Court’s: 1) third **draft** introductory instructions for Phase 1 of the sentencing hearing; 2) third **draft** final instructions for Phase 1 of the sentencing hearing; and 3) first **draft** introductory instructions for Phase 2 of the sentencing hearing. The Court sent copies of these instructions to the parties via email on July 20. The Court has designated these draft instructions “C-217.” Copies of these draft instructions are attached to this Order.

Dated this 21st day of July of 2015.

BY THE COURT:



Carlos A. Samour, Jr.
District Court Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on July 21, 2015, a true and correct copy of the **Notice of labeling as "C-217" Court's: (1) Draft Phase 1 introductory instructions; (2) Draft Phase 1 final instructions; and (3) Draft Phase 2 introductory instructions** was served upon the following parties of record:

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