

1 SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
2 CRIMINAL DIVISION-HUDSON COUNTY  
3 INDICTMENT NO: 0435-03-07  
4 APP. DIV. NO. A-3348-11T3

5 STATE OF NEW JERSEY

6 COMPLAINANT

7 -VS-

8 TRANSCRIPT  
OF  
PROCEEDINGS  
(TRIAL)

9 ELMO M. RIVADENEIRA

10 DEFENDANT

11 Place: Hudson County Courthouse  
12 595 Newark Avenue  
13 Jersey City, NJ 07306  
14 Date: October 4, 2011

15 BEFORE:

16 THE HONORABLE PAUL M. DE PASCALE, J.S.C.

17 And a Jury

18 TRANSCRIPT ORDERED BY:

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(OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC DEFENDER)

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1 A I was confused, yes.

2 THE COURT: Do you have anything further, sir?

3 MR. ZUNIC: I do, Judge. Just one moment.

4 Q Sir, on the charges currently pending against  
5 you, the first degree charge, in fact, you said many  
6 years but, in fact, it is potentially 20 years in  
7 State's Prison, correct?

8 A Yes.

9 Q And now you're hoping or it is likely you  
10 will obtain a dismissal, correct?

11 A Correct.

12 Q And that dismissal likelihood only came into  
13 place after you agreed to testify here, correct?

14 A Yes.

15 MR. ZUNIC: If I could just have a moment,  
16 Judge. I just need to find something. It should be  
17 quick.

18 Q Going back to the receipts at the auto shop  
19 that you would see --

20 A Okay.

21 Q -- do you recall two weeks ago when I asked  
22 you whether the only handwriting you would see on those  
23 receipts was his signature, you told me yes, correct?

24 A Yes.

25 Q But now, today, you are telling us that

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