

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEAL OF SOUTH AFRICA****SCA CASE NO: 483/2019**

In the matter between:

**JASON THOMAS ROHDE**

Appellant

and

**THE STATE**

Respondent

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**APPELLANT'S CHRONOLOGY TABLE**

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Friday 22 July 2016.	The weekend Sotheby's estate agent's conference starts at Spier Hotel Stellenbosch. Both appellant and the deceased arrive <sup>1</sup> .
Saturday evening	
23 July 2016	Black-tie gala event <sup>2</sup> . Both attended.
Sunday 24 July	
Early morning.	Both return to their hotel room 221. Appellant says marriage over <sup>3</sup> . Appellant leaves and goes to the hotel room of Brendon Miller. The deceased follows and they return to room 221.

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<sup>1</sup> Vol.18 P3461 L7.<sup>2</sup><sup>3</sup> Vol.18 P3477 L18

On the way the deceased falls over/into a low wall and into a flower bed hurting her toes and her eyebrow is grazed<sup>4</sup>. Appellant again says marriage over.

- 07h00 to 09h00. Both were awake just after 07h00<sup>5</sup>. Text messages received by the deceased and appellant. Appellant again says marriage over. Appellant falls back to sleep after the deceased goes to the bathroom. Around 08h00 appellant wakes up. Bathroom door is locked and the deceased does not answer her cell phone at 08h02<sup>6</sup>. Appellant dresses for 09h00 continuation of the conference.
- 08h22 Appellant phones reception to get assistance as Susan had locked the door from inside the bathroom<sup>7</sup> (Daniels claims he received a call to assist at room 221 at 08h15<sup>8</sup>)
- 08h27/8 Daniels arrives<sup>9</sup> and opens bathroom door and the deceased is discovered. Daniels sees appellant giving CPR to the deceased as he leaves.
- 08h30 to 08h32/33 Lee arrives, speaks to Daniels and sees appellant giving CPR to the deceased. Thompson arrives<sup>10</sup> and assists appellant with CPR for next 30 to 45 minutes<sup>11</sup>.

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<sup>4</sup> Vol.18 P3496 L11 to P3497 L25.

<sup>5</sup> Vol.18 P3499 L19.

<sup>6</sup> Vol.18 P3502 L7.

<sup>7</sup> Vol.18 P3504 L75 to L20.

<sup>8</sup> Vol.14 P2794 L12-15.

<sup>9</sup> Vol.18 P3505 L9.

<sup>10</sup> Vol.6 P1193 L10 r/w P1194 L22 and Vol.7 P1213 L7.

<sup>11</sup> Vol.6 P1195 L23/

09h00/09h15	Paramedics arrive <sup>12</sup> .
Later that morning	Norton checks appellants hands <sup>13</sup>
11h30/12h00	Appellant goes to Stellenbosch SAPS to have a medical check. No doctor arrives.
12h45	Kahn arrives at room 221 <sup>14</sup> .
Later that evening	Appellant flies to Johannesburg <sup>15</sup> .
Tuesday 26 July 2016	Appellant cuts his finger on a vase <sup>16</sup> and the deceased's parents are there.
Thursday 28 July 2016	Appellant warned he is a suspect. Seen by Dr. Tiemensma <sup>17</sup> .

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<sup>12</sup> Vol.18 P3529 L11

<sup>13</sup> Vol.18 P3530 L25

<sup>14</sup> Vol.7 P1280 L10-15

<sup>15</sup> Vol.18 P3534 L13

<sup>16</sup> Vol.18 P3535 L3 to 23.

<sup>17</sup> Vol.18 P354126.