

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY,
PENNSYLVANIA
CRIMINAL DIVISION

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

No. 3932-16

v.

WILLIAM H. COSBY, JR.


ORDER

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AND NOW, this 24th day of February 2017, upon consideration of the Commonwealth's "Motion to Introduce Evidence of Prior Bad Acts of the Defendant," the Defendant's response thereto, argument of Counsel on December 13 and 14, 2016, as well as all Exhibits and statements submitted by Counsel on those dates, the post hearing briefs submitted by Counsel, and this Court's review of Pa.R.E. 404 (b), reported appellate opinions, scholarly articles and analysis of Pa.R.E. 404(b), and following a sedulous analysis of the proposed evidence under both the "common plan, scheme and design" and "absence of mistake" exceptions, and following a careful balancing of the probative value of the other acts evidence and the prejudice to the Defendant, it is hereby **ORDERED** and **DECREED** that the Commonwealth's Motion is **GRANTED** as to Prior Alleged Victim Six and **DENIED** as to Prior Alleged Victims One through Five and Seven through Thirteen.

BY THE COURT:



STEVEN T. O'NEILL J.

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