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SUPREME COURT OF LOUISIANA

No. 11-KK-0291

STATE OF LOUISIANA

VERSUS

KENNETH HUNTER

**ON WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE COURT OF APPEAL
FOURTH CIRCUIT, PARISH OF ORLEANS**

GUIDRY, Justice, concurs with reasons.

The only issue currently before the Court is the trial court's denial of the defendant's motion to sever. I agree that a joint trial is possible in this case.

However, the more difficult question is whether the statements are admissible in their present form pursuant to *Bruton v. United States*, 391 U.S. 123, 135, 88 S.Ct.

1620, 1628, 20 L.Ed.2d 476 (1968). They may require redaction. See *Gray v.*

Maryland, 523 U.S. 185, 118 S.Ct. 1151, 140 L.Ed.2d 294 (1998).