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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LATAH

STATE OF IDAHO

CASE NUMBER CR29-22-0002805

Plaintiff,

V.

BRYAN C. KOHBERGER,

Defendant.

DEFENDANT'S RESPONSE TO STATE'S MOTION TO LIMIT TESTIMONY

COMES NOW, Bryan C. Kohberger, by and through his attorneys of record, and hereby submits the following Response to the State's Motion to Limit Testimony filed May 10, 2024.

In the State's Motion, the State contends that the Affidavit of Probable Cause is "irrelevant at this stage". State's Motion at 4. The State cites no authority for this claim. Mr. Kohberger has the ability to challenge the probable cause affidavits in this matter that were used to procure warrants. See, e.g., State v. Thompson, 114 Idaho 746, 753 (1988) (finding informer's reliability a relevant issue as it related to probable cause for a wiretap); *State v. Hosey*, 132 Idaho 117, 120 (1988) (finding informer's reliability a relevant issue as it related to probable cause for a search); *State v. Hosey*, 134 Idaho 883, 888 (2000) (same); *State v. Pendleton*, 172 Idaho 825 (2023) (finding field-performance of drug dog properly discoverable as relevant to probable cause inquiry).

The finding of an Indictment does not preclude a Defendant from seeking to gain through discovery information relevant to the probable cause provided to the Court.

DATED this ____10___ day of May, 2024.

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