

IN THE
UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

No. 08-8525

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Plaintiff-Appellee,

v.

JEFFREY R. MACDONALD,
Defendant-Appellant.

BRIEF OF THE INNOCENCE PROJECT,
NORTH CAROLINA CENTER ON ACTUAL INNOCENCE
AND NEW ENGLAND INNOCENCE PROJECT AS *AMICI CURIAE* IN
SUPPORT OF DEFENDANT-APPELLANT AND REVERSAL OF THE
DISTRICT COURT'S JUDGMENT

ON APPEAL FROM THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
AT RALEIGH

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