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PRE-ARGUMENT STATEMENT

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SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
APPELLATE DIVISION: SECOND DEPARTMENT

GEORGE SASSOWER,

Petitioner-Appellant,

-against-

JOHN P. FINNERTY, Sheriff of Suffolk County,

Respondent-Respondent.

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, EX. REL.
GEORGE SASSOWER,

Petitioner-Appellant,

-against-

SHERIFF OF SUFFOLK COUNTY,

Respondent-Respondent.

GEORGE SASSOWER,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

-against-

ERNEST L. SIGNORELLI, ANTHONY MASTROIANNI,
VINCENT G. BERGER, JR., JOHN P. FINNERTY,
ALAN CROCE, ANTHONY GRYMALSKI, CHARLES
BROWN, HARRY E. SEIDELL, NEW YORK NEWS, INC.,
and VIRGINIA D. MATHIAS,

Defendants-Respondents.

1. The original parties appear in the title.
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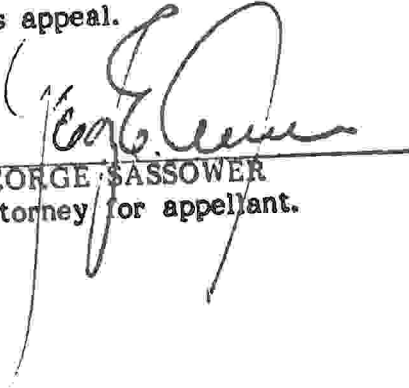
4. Appeal from Supreme Court, Suffolk County per Hon. JAMES A. GOWAN, Judgment and Order dated February 10, 1981.

5. Habeas Corpus relief, defamation, and other tortious conduct.

6. The Court dismissed the Writ of Habeas Corpus as well as some of plaintiff's causes of action.

7. The Court erred in dismissing the Writ of Habeas Corpus, erred in dismissing plaintiff's causes of action, and erred in other respects for which appellant brings this appeal.

Dated: April 20, 1981


GEORGE SASSOWER
Attorney for appellant.