

Circuit Court for Baltimore County
Case No. C-03-CR-19-000215

UNREPORTED
IN THE APPELLATE COURT
OF MARYLAND

No. 1776

September Term, 2024

TONY ROBERTS

v.

STATE OF MARYLAND

Nazarian,
Arthur,
Zarnoch, Robert A.
(Senior Judge, Specially Assigned),

JJ.

PER CURIAM

Filed: July 10, 2025

*This is a per curiam opinion. Under Rule 1-104, the opinion is not precedent within the rule of stare decisis, nor may it be cited as persuasive authority.

Tony Roberts, appellant, appeals from the denial, by the Circuit Court for Baltimore County, of a motion to correct illegal sentence. Mr. Roberts contends that the court erred in sentencing him to a term of imprisonment of 25 years for sexual abuse of a minor because he is not the victim’s parent, but stepparent. But, we reviewed this contention in *Roberts v. State*, No. 1061, Sept. Term 2023 (filed February 6, 2024), slip op. at 1, and concluded that Mr. Roberts “was not convicted of an offense improperly charged[.]” *Id.* at 4. Mr. Roberts’s claim is barred by the law of the case, and accordingly, we affirm the judgment of the circuit court.

**JUDGMENT OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY AFFIRMED.
COSTS TO BE PAID BY APPELLANT.**