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Justice and Constitutional Development
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CASE INFORMATION

Case name:	Andile Yantolo v the State	Case no: CA 7 R 91/2014
Judge/s:	Goosen J	
Division:	Eastern Cape Division, Grahamstown	
Nature of matter:	Criminal appeal – against conviction on charge of murder – evidence of identifying eyewitnesses – no basis to doubt credibility and reliability – version of appellant rightly rejected as false – conviction upheld Criminal appeal – against sentence imposed – minimum sentence in terms of s51(2) of Act 105 of 1997 – charge sheet failing to state that minimum sentence applicable – not established that right to fair trial affected thereby - magistrate imposing 15 year sentence – sentence appropriate having regard to aggravating features – appeal dismissed.	
Order:	Appeal dismissed	
	Delivered on: 8 August 2014	