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# Robber who killed clerk at N.J. gas station sentenced to life in prison

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A man who [shot and killed the clerk at an Edison gas station](#) during a robbery more than five years ago has been sentenced to life in prison without parole, officials said.

Marcus A. Wright, 27, of Beaufort, South Carolina, gunned down the employee on Dec. 20, 2018, at the Speedway on Amboy Avenue, the Middlesex County Prosecutor's Office said.

Wright was [convicted in the killing](#) of John Bertram, 38, of the Fords section of Woodbridge, in September. A jury also found Wright guilty of two counts of robbery and weapons offenses.

Bertram handed Wright the money in the cash register at the station before being shot.

Wright and his getaway driver, Olya Quinnam, fled after the robbery, but were [arrested in January 2019](#).

Quinnam was previously convicted but has not been sentenced.

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