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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
COUNTY OF RICHLAND)
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IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

The State)

-vs-)

Micah Christian Brown)

Defendant.)

JEANETTE M. DELBRIDGE
C.C.P. G.S. REC.

ORDER APPOINTING STAND-BY
COUNSEL

Warrant #s: 2018A4010300099; 100;
2018A4011200832; 2019A4010200188; 189

This matter came before the Court on October 14, 2022 after a request was made by the State, represented by C. Dale Scott, for a status conference regarding the trial of State v. Micah Brown.

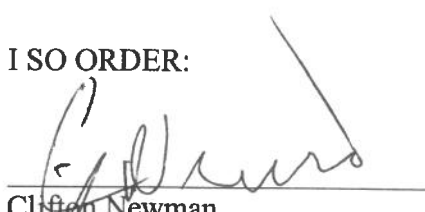
With a trial date pending, Mr. Brown requested that his appointed attorney, Judah VanSyckel, be relieved. Two ex-parte hearings were conducted with the first being held on July 11, 2022 and the second on August 15, 2022. In both hearings, Mr. Brown informed the Court that he wished to be relieved of counsel. The Honorable Clifton Newman relieved Mr. VanSyckel on August 24, 2022

On August 24, 2022, the Honorable Clifton Newman issued an order in which Mr. VanSyckel was formally relieved. The order also stated that Mr. Brown would not be granted new appointed counsel and would be required to proceed to trial either with the assistance of private counsel or pro se. The order did state that Mr. Brown would be afforded stand-by counsel "either from or by the Richland County Public Defender's Office."

At the hearing conducted on October 14, 2022, ^{Judge} ~~the Honorable~~ Clifton Newman did appoint Tivis Sutherland, Esq. to act as stand-by counsel for Micah Christian Brown.

I HEREBY ORDER THAT, Tivis Sutherland, Esq. is appointed to act as stand-by counsel for Micah Christian Brown.

I SO ORDER:


Clifton Newman
Chief Administrative Judge
Fifth Judicial Circuit

October 14, 2022