

**THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS**

**APPEAL FROM CHARLESTON COUNTY
Court of General Sessions**

The Honorable Donald B. Hocker, Presiding Judge

**INDICTMENT NO.: 2019GS1004405
WARRANT NO.: 2018A1010205429**

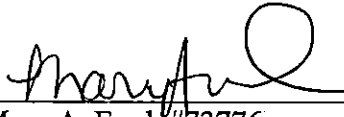
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, RESPONDENT

vs.

CHAD LAVICTOR SIMMONS

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Chad Lavictor Simmons appeals his conviction following his trial held before the Honorable Donald B. Hocker, wherein he was found guilty and was sentenced on December 1, 2022.



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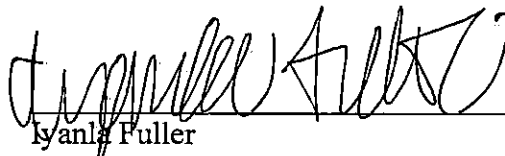
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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal on Benjamin Chad Simpson, Assistant Solicitor for Charleston County, by hand delivering a copy of it to the Charleston County Solicitor's Office at 101 Meeting Street, Charleston, South Carolina 29401, on December 8, 2022.



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Dated: December 8, 2022.

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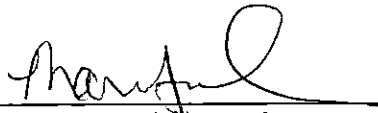
Re: State of South Carolina vs. Chad Lavictor Simmons
Indictment No: 2019GS1004405
Warrant No: 2018A1010205429
Charge: Assault & Battery of a High & Aggravated Nature

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed herein is a duplicate set of the Appeal papers, which I have forwarded to the Clerk of the South Carolina Court of Appeals concerning the above-subject defendant. This defendant was represented by our office as an indigent, pursuant to the Defense of Indigents Act. It is requested that your office assume the Appeal of this case.

The name of the Court Reporter is Joyce C. Rueger, and her address is P.O. Box 1472, Johns Island, SC 29457. I have enclosed documents usually requested by your office. If I can be of assistance by discussing this case with you, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure(s): As stated above

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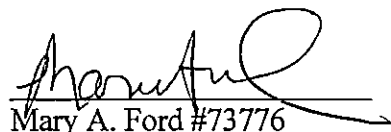
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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed is the Notice of Intent to Appeal in the above-referenced case, together with appropriate Proof of Service upon the Circuit Solicitor and Proof of Filing with the local Clerk of Court. The Defendant-Appellant was represented by our office as an indigent, pursuant to the Defense of Indigents Act. By copy of this letter, I am forwarding a duplicate set of these documents to the South Carolina Commission of Appellate Defense.

As proof of filing for my records, I would appreciate it if one of your Clerks would clock the enclosed copy of this letter and return it to me in the envelope I have provided. Thank you.

Sincerely,



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cc: South Carolina Commission of Appellate Defense



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