

FORM 4
NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM A SENTENCE IMPOSED BY THE COURT
OF GENERAL SESSIONS

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM OCONEE COUNTY
Court of General Sessions

R. Scott Sprouse, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2021-GS-37-01378 and 2021-GS-37-01377

FILED OCONEE COUNTY, SC
MELISSA C. BURTON
CLERK OF COURT
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The State,

Respondent,

v.

Steven Lee Duncan,

Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

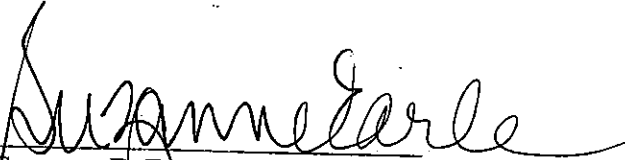
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Steven Lee Duncan appeals his conviction and sentence in this case. The sentence was imposed by the Honorable R. Scott Sprouse on January 13, 2023, following denial of Defendant's motion for a new trial.

Issues to be raised on appeal are:

1. Appellant did not receive notice of trial and was tried in his absence.
2. Appellant's motion for a continuance based on Appellant's attorney not being present for qualification of the jury panel due to illness and Appellant not being present in court for the trial was denied.
3. Appellant's motion for a new trial was denied.

January 23, 2023


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FORM 7
PROOF OF SERVICE OF A NOTICE OF APPEAL

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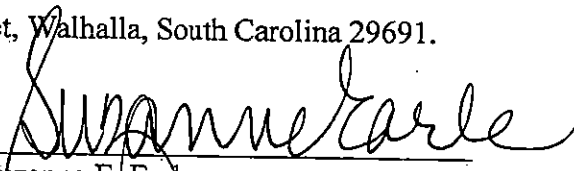
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I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal on the State of South Carolina by personally delivering a copy of it to Deputy Solicitor Jason C. Alderman, at his office at the Oconee County Courthouse, 205 West Main Street, Walhalla, South Carolina 29691.


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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
Post Office Box 11629
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

RE: State of South Carolina, Respondent, v. Steven Lee Duncan, Appellant,
Case No. 2021-GS-37-01378 and 2021-GS-37-01377

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing is a notice of appeal in the above case. Also enclosed is proof of service of the notice of appeal on the respondent.

Sincerely,



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FORM 9
LETTER TO CLERK OF LOWER COURT
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The Honorable Melissa C. Burton
Clerk of Court for Oconee County
Post Office Box 678
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