

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
COUNTY OF UNION)

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Indictment No(s): 2018-GS-44-1123, 0024, 1125,1126

THE STATE)

Warrant Numbers: 2018A4420200308-ATTEMPTED MURDER
DI2018A4420200309, VOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER
2018A4420200309, ATTEMPTED MURDER
2018A4420200311, ATTEMPTED MURDER

Vs-)

Quinton Jarrell Kershaw,
Appellant)

RULE 203 (B) EXPLANATION

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Pursuant to Rule 203(B) (iv), the issue to be raised on appeal is whether the trial court abused its discretion when it imposed a sentence of fifteen (15) years prison, suspended to five (5) years probation; two (2) five years prison and ten (10) years ; and additionally he pled to Voluntary Manslaughter and received a sentence of thirty years prison at the South Carolina Department of Corrections He was sentenced by the Honorable Eugene Griffith..

The undersigned does not have a good faith basis to believe that this issue is properly before the Court of Appeals, and the undersigned did not object to the sentence or file a motion to reconsider the sentence. Nevertheless, the undersigned consulted with the Appellant about his right to appeal, and after consultation, the undersigned has filed the instant appeal at the request of the Appellant because the Sixth Amendment requires counsel to follow the Appellant's request. *See Frazer v. South Carolina*, 430 F.3d 696, 705 (4th Cir. 2005) ("A defendant has a right to pursue a direct appeal, even if frivolous, which counsel must assist as 'an active advocate on behalf of his client.'") (Quoting *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738, 744 (1967)).

Respectfully submitted,

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Quinton Jarrell Kershaw
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RE: Appellant: Quinton Jarrell Kershaw
Warrant #'s: 2018A4420200308, 309, 311, DI2018A4420200309
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Dear Mr. Kershaw:

Enclosed please find copies of the Notice of Appeal and Certificate of Service, copy of sentencing sheets, and copy of the indictments and copy of Rule 203(B) explanation regarding your recent trial and sentence.

Please note that you must inform the SC Court of Appeals in writing, within twenty (20) days of the date of this letter of any arguable issues that have been preserved for appeal.

You must send your arguments for your appeal to the following address:

South Carolina Court of Appeals
P. O. Box 11629
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Sincerely,

Erik D. Delaney
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Enclosures
cc: South Carolina Court of Appeals