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Indict. No. 2022-GS-40-00092

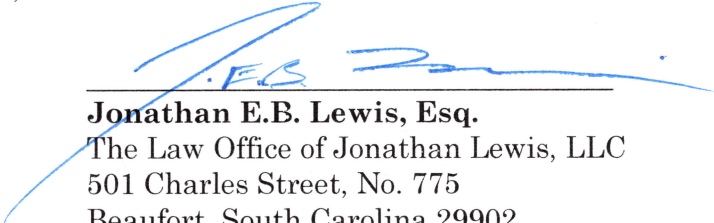
THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

-v-

**ALEX ANDREW STONE**  
**Defendant Appellant**

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

**NOW COMES** the Appellant, Alex Andrew Stone, who does so appeal the Guilty Plea taken before the Hon. DeAndrea Benjamin, formerly a Circuit Judge of the Fifth Jud. Cir. of South Carolina, and the Sentencing of the Hon. Michael G. Nettles, sentenced on or about May 9, 2023.



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**PROOF OF SERVICE**

I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal and Explanation for Grounds of Appeal on the Hon. Michael G. Nettles, and Asst. Solicitor Keith Taylor, Fifth Judicial Circuit Solicitor's Office, by electronic mail to their South Carolina Supreme Court Attorney Information System (AIS) registered electronic mail address, on May 19, 2023.

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**THE STATE -v- ALEX STONE / NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Judge Nettles, Asst. Solicitor Taylor:

My apologies, but my filings to you were incomplete. Please see the attached Notice of Appeal, Explanation of Grounds for Appeal pursuant to R. 203, SCACR, and Cert. of Service.

I wish you both a great weekend.

**Very Respectfully,**

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