

# The South Carolina Court of Appeals

Bruce Houser, Petitioner,

v.

State of South Carolina, Respondent.

Appellate Case No. 2021-000673

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## ORDER

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This matter is before the Court on a petition for a writ of certiorari. Based on the vote of the panel, the petition for a writ of certiorari is granted. We dispense with further briefing and remand the case to the post-conviction relief court for an evidentiary hearing on the applicability of laches and the merits of Petitioner's *Austin* claim and an order making specific findings on these issues.

FOR THE COURT

BY

  
CLERK

Columbia, South Carolina

cc:

Tara Dawn Shurling, Esquire  
Donald J. Zelenka, Esquire  
The Honorable Edgar W. Dickson

**FILED**  
**Aug 22 2023**