

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In the Supreme Court

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APPEAL FROM DORCHESTER COUNTY  
Court of General Sessions

Diane Goodstein, Circuit Court Judge

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Case No. 2022GS18-1655

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The State, .....Respondent.

v.

Benjamin Feagin, .....Appellant.

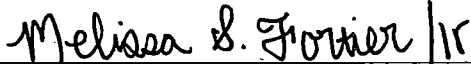
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Benjamin Timothy Feagin, appeals his conviction and sentence in this case. The sentence was imposed by the Honorable Diane Goodstein, on October 18, 2023. This appeal is filed at the request of Defendant Benjamin Feagin. However, counsel is not aware of any exceptions to Rule 203.

October 27, 2023

  
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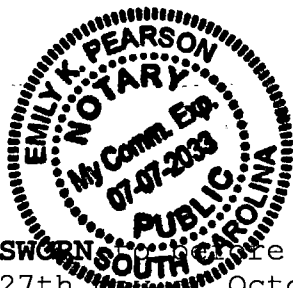
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**PERSONALLY APPEARED** before me, Melissa S. Fortier, who first being duly sworn, deposed and says:

That on the 27th day of October, 2023, he personally served a copy of the Notice of Appeal on Shannon Elliott, Assistant Solicitor, via first class, postage paid wrapper, properly addressed, in a post office or official depository under the exclusive care and custody of the United States Postal Service to 101 Ridge Street, Second Floor, St. George, South Carolina 29477.

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SWORN before me this  
27th day of October, 2023.

*Emily K. Pearson*  
My commission expires: 7-7-2033  
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**RE:** State of South Carolina v. Benjamin Timothy Feagin  
Indictment No.: 2022GS18-1655

Dear Clerk:

Enclosed please find the original Notice of Appeal, Proof of Service and Sentencing Sheet(s) in the above referenced matter.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

*Melissa S. Fortier/lr*

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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Melissa S. Fortier /r". The signature is written in a cursive style.

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