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The Honorable Deborah Brooks Durden  
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Case No. 22-ALJ-15-0022-AP

BERNARD BAGLEY, #175851,


Respondent,

SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF PROBATION,  
PAROLE AND PARDON SERVICES,

Appellant.

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

The South Carolina Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services, by its attorney, Matthew Buchanan, appeals the order of the Honorable Deborah Brooks Durden, Administrative Law Judge, dated and filed October 9, 2023.

  
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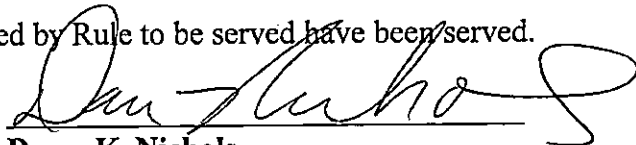
Appellant.

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Dawn K. Nichols, Executive Assistant, hereby certify that I have served the within *Notice of Appeal* on Respondent this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2023, by depositing a copy of the same in the United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed to:

Bernard Bagley, #175851  
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4848 Goldmine Highway  
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I further certify that all parties required by Rule to be served have been served.



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RE: Bernard Bagley, #175851 v. SCDPPPS

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please find enclosed the original Notice of Appeal in the above captioned case wherein the Department is appealing the order of the Honorable Deborah Brooks Durden, Administrative Law Judge, dated and filed October 9, 2023. Also enclosed is the proof of service of the Notice of Appeal and a copy of the order which is to be challenged on appeal. Furthermore, no transcript exists, therefore Appellant will be filing the Initial Brief within the allowed timeframe.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Matthew C. Buchanan", written over a horizontal line.

Matthew C. Buchanan  
General Counsel

MCB:dn  
Enclosures

cc: The Honorable Deborah Brooks Durden  
Bernard Bagley, #175851

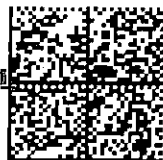
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