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APPEAL FROM THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW COURT
The Honorable Ralph King Anderson, III
Chief Administrative Law Judge

Case No. 23-ALJ-15-0014-AP

KAMATHENE COOPER, #145333,

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 Ralph King Anderson, III, Chief Administrative Law Judge, dated and filed December 21, 2023.



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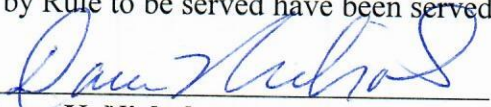
Appellant.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Dawn K. Nichols, Executive Assistant, hereby certify that I have served the within *Notice of Appeal* on Respondent this 3rd day of January, 2024, by depositing a copy of the same in the United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed to:

Allison Franz, Esquire
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I further certify that all parties required by Rule to be served have been served.


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The Honorable Jenny Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
P. O. Box 11629
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RE: Kamathene Cooper, #145333 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 Ralph King Anderson, III, Chief Administrative Law Judge, dated and filed December 21, 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 blue ink, appearing to read "Matthew C. Buchanan".

Matthew C. Buchanan
General Counsel

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Enclosures

cc: The Honorable Ralph King Anderson, III
Allison Franz, Esquire
Lindsey Vann, Esquire