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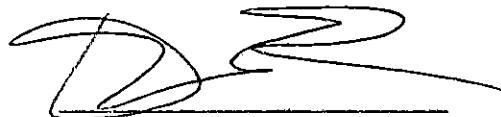
HONORABLE WILLIAM P. KEESLEY., CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE

Indictment No(s): 2023-GS-32-03965
2023-GS-32-03966

The State,.....Respondent.
V.
Cedric Dante Metze,.....Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Cedric Dante Metze, appeals his guilty plea and sentence in this case. The sentence was imposed by the Honorable Cedric Dante Metze on January 25, 2024. The court reporter was Jamie Bickett, PO Box 154, Charleston, SC 29402



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The Honorable Lisa Comer
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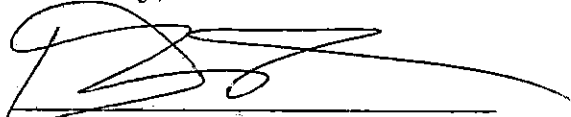
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RE: The State v. Cedric Dante Metze - Appeal

Dear Mrs. Comer:

Enclosed for filing is a notice of appeal in the above case.

Sincerely,



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CC: Whitney Y. Taylor, Assistant Solicitor
Robert M. Dudek, Chief Appellate Defender
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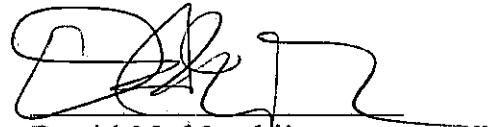
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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal on Whitney Y. Taylor by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on January 25, 2024, addressed to Whitney Y. Taylor, Assistant Solicitor, Lexington County Courthouse, Lexington, SC 29072.



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P.O. Box 11629
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Re: The State vs. Cedric Dante Metze, - appeal

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please find enclosed an original and one (1) copy of a Notice to Appeal in the above matter for filing in your office. Please file the original and return the date/time stamped copy to me in the envelope provided.

I am, by copy of this letter, serving a copy of this Notice to Appeal on Whitney Y. Taylor and Robert M. Dudek, together with my Certificate of Service.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. With kind regards, I am

Sincerely,



David M. Mauldin

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CC: Whitney Y. Taylor, Assistant Solicitor
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Re: State vs. Cedric Dante Metze
2023GS3203965 & 2023GS3203966

Dear Cedric,

Please find enclosed a copy of the appeal that was filed on your behalf. You however have 20 days of said notice, in which to respond if you have additional support regarding your appeal. There is not a specific form for this, you would send in letter form on regular paper if you have anything to add. The Court's address is:

South Carolina Court of Appeals
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Columbia, SC 29211

With my warm personal regards, I remain.



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cc: Jenny A. Kitchings
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