

**THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Appellate Court**

**APPEAL FROM PICKENS COUNTY
Court of General Sessions**

Perry H. Gravely, Circuit Court Judge

Case No(s): 2022-GS-39-00264

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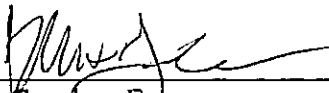
Melanie Cromer McClain,

Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Melanie Cromer McClain appeals her conviction and sentence in this case. The sentence was imposed by the Honorable Perry H. Gravely on February 7, 2024.

Date: March 12, 2024



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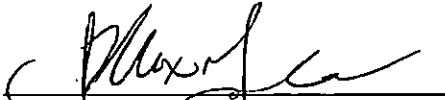
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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal on the below listed respondent by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on March 19, 2024, addressed to:

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Date: March 19, 2024



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Re: *State v. Melanie Cromer McClain*
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Ms. Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed you will find the original Notice of Appeal in the above matter along with Proof of Service upon the Respondents. The Notice has been filed with the Pickens County Clerk of Court. Also enclosed is a copy of the indictment. These matters are being referred to the Office of Appellate Defense in that we were participating as Court appointed counsel at trial.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,

PICKENS COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER

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Enclosure

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