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**S.C. SUPREME COURT**

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In The Supreme Court

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APPEAL FROM HORRY COUNTY  
The Honorable Kristi F. Curtis, Circuit Court Judge

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Appellate Case No. 2023-001070

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BRIAN K. SPEARS,

Petitioner,

v.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

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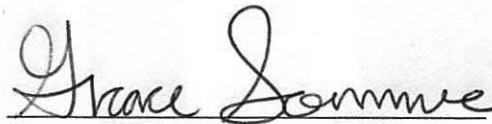
Respondent.

**PROOF OF SERVICE**

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I, Grace Sommer, certify that I have served the within Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari on Joanna K. Delany, Esquire, counsel of record for the Petitioner by electronic mail to the address listed for counsel in AIS.

I further certify that all parties required by Rule to be served have been served.  
This 28<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2024.



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