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NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAL
THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS
FROM AIKEN COUNTY
THE HONORABLE ROGER M. YOUNG, SR.

June 13, 2024

Indictment #: 2022GS0200586,2022GS0200583

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA -- Respondent

VS.

AUSTIN BERNARD MARTIN - Appellant

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Austin Bernard Martin entered a guilty plea to Murder and Kidnapping before the Hon. Roger M. Young, Sr. on June 5, 2024 in Aiken, South Carolina, and was sentenced on June 5, 2024 before the Honorable Roger M. Young, Sr. in Aiken, South Carolina. Defendant appeals his conviction and sentence.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Ola Johnson, do hereby certify that I have this day served the original of Appellant's Notice of Intent to Appeal and Rule 203 Explanation upon the South Carolina Court of Appeals by U.S. mail, and copies of Appellant's Notice of Intent to Appeal and Rule 203 Explanation to the Clerk of Court of Aiken County, and to Bill Weeks, Solicitor, Second Judicial Circuit and to the Office of the Attorney General and to the South Carolina Commission of Appellate Defense by placing same in the United States Mail properly addressed and with correct postage affixed thereto:

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Appellant/Defendant AUSTIN BERNARD MARTIN
Indictment #s: 2022GS0200586, 2022GS0200583

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find the Notice of Intent to Appeal and Rule 203 Explanation on behalf of the Defendant in respect of the above referenced indictment, along with the sentencing sheets and indictments. It is anticipated that this appeal will be handled by the Office of Appellate Defense, in view of the indigent status of the Appellant/Defendant.

Yours truly,


Ola Johnson