

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY  
Court of General Sessions

Jocelyn Newman, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2024-GS-40-03820

The State,

Respondent,

v.

Travis John Alston,

Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Travis John Alston appeals his conviction and sentence in this case. The sentence was imposed by the Honorable Jocelyn Newman on February 10, 2025.

February 17, 2025

s/ Patrick C. Sharpe

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal on the below listed respondents by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on February 18, 2025 addressed to:

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Re:	In Re:	State of South Carolina v. Travis John Alston Notice of Appeal Indictment No. 2024-GS-40-03820
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Dear Ms. Kitching:

Enclosed, you will find an original and copy of the Notice of Appeal in the above matter along with Proof of Service upon the Respondents. The Notice of Appeal has been filed with the Richland County Clerk of Court. Also, enclosed is a copy of the redacted sentencing sheet.

I would greatly appreciate you filing the enclosed Notice of Appeal and returning the clocked-in copy to me in the enclosed self-addressed, pre-stamped envelope. I am also asking that this matter be referred to the Office of Appellate Defense as I was not retained to handle Mr. Alston's appeal, and as Mr. Alston apparently lacks the financial capacity to retain private counsel to handle this matter.

I think you for your attention to this matter, and if you should have any questions or need additional information please do not hesitate to contact me at my office.

With warm personal regards, I am

Sincerely,

s/ Patrick Sharpe  
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