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APPEAL FROM COLLETON COUNTY  
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The Honorable Robert J. Bonds, Circuit Court Judge

Warrant No (s): 2022A1510200073, 2022A1510100410, 2022A1510100411  
Indictment No (s) 2022GS1500691, 2023GS1500706, 2023GS1500704

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

Respondent.

v.

Shannon L Kinard,

Appellant.

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Shannon L Kinard appeals his trial, conviction and sentence on the charge(s) of Murder, Possession of a Weapon During the Commission of a Violent Crime, and Use of Vehicle Without Permission, before the Honorable Judge Robert J. Bonds, Fourteenth Judicial Circuit on the dates of 01/27/2025 through 01/31/2025. He also appeals the Denial of his Motion to Reconsider Sentence, heard on 3/10/2025 before the Honorable Robert J. Bonds.

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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 March 17, 2025.

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I further certify that on an Original Notice of Intent to Appeal in the above captioned case was filed with the County Clerk of Court.

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**State v. Shannon L Kinard**

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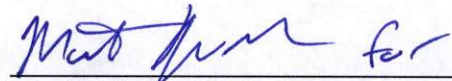
Dear Sir/ Madam:

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 Colleton County Clerk of Court. Also enclosed is a copy of the sentencing sheet from which this appeal is taken and a copy of the warrant(s) and indictment(s).

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,



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