

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW COURT

Ronald Albright, #211533,)
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 Appellant,)
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 v.)
)
 South Carolina Department of Probation,)
 Parole, and Pardon Services,)
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 Respondent.)

Docket No. 25-ALJ-15-0004-AP

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ORDER

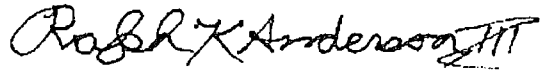
This matter is before the South Carolina Administrative Law Court (Court or ALC) on an appeal filed by Ronald Albright (Appellant), an inmate incarcerated with the South Carolina Department of Corrections. Appellant appeals the decision of the South Carolina Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services (Department) denying him parole.

On April 9, 2025, Appellant filed a Motion for Discovery (Motion) requesting the Court order the Department to provide specific documents that Appellant asserts are relevant to this case. On April 11, 2025, the Department filed a response in opposition to Appellant's Motion.

When reviewing the Department's decisions, the ALC sits in an appellate capacity. *Al-Shabazz v. State*, 338 S.C. 354, 377; 527 S.E.2d 742 754 (2000); *see also* S.C. Code Ann. § 1-23-600(E) (Supp. 2023) (directing administrative law judges to conduct appellate review in the same manner prescribed in § 1-23-380). Here, Appellant has not cited to any authority, either in the Court's Rules of Procedure or otherwise, to grant discovery in this appeal. Therefore, since discovery is not allowed in this case,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Appellant's Motion is **DENIED**.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED.



Ralph King Anderson, III
Chief Administrative Law Judge

April 15, 2025
Columbia, South Carolina

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Stephanie Perez, hereby certify that I have this date served this Order upon all parties to this cause by depositing a copy hereof in the United States mail, postage paid, or by electronic mail, to the address provided by the party(ies) and/or their attorney(s).



Stephanie Perez
Judicial Law Clerk

April 15, 2025
Columbia, South Carolina