

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAL  
THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS  
FROM AIKEN COUNTY

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June 2, 2025

Indictment #: 2023 GS 02 00754

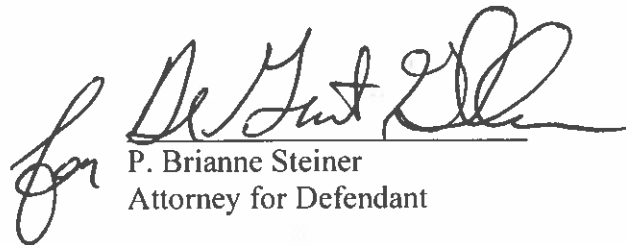
THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA -- Respondent

VS.

Mark Gehrig McLaurin -- Appellant

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAL

Mark McLaurin pled guilty to Failure to Stop Blue Light, on May 19, 2025. He was sentenced before Judge Courtney Clyburn Pope, and he appeals his conviction. Penny Johnson served as the Court Reporter.

  
P. Brianne Steiner  
Attorney for Defendant

Other Counsel of record is:  
Paige Tiffany  
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State of South Carolina

Vs:

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Tesa Culbertson, do hereby certify that I have this day served the original of Appellant's Notice to Appeal upon the South Carolina Court of Appeals, and copies of appellant's Notice of Intent to Appeal to the Clerk of Court of Aiken County and to Paige Tiffany, Assistant Solicitor, Second Judicial Circuit by email:

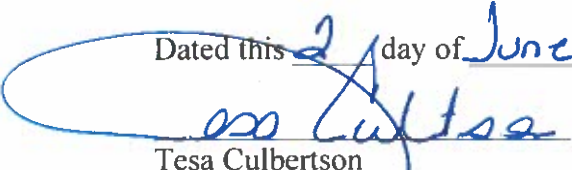
South Carolina Court of Appeals  
Post Office Box 11629  
Columbia, SC 29211

South Carolina Commission  
Of Appellate Defense  
P. O. Box 11589  
Columbia, SC 29211

Clerk of Court  
Aiken County Judicial Circuit  
Post Office Box 583  
Aiken, South Carolina 29802

Paige Tiffany  
Assistant Solicitor  
Post Office Drawer 3368  
Aiken, South Carolina 29802

Dated this 2 day of June, 2025,

  
Tesa Culbertson  
Secretary to Appellant's Attorney  
Post Office Drawer 2247  
Aiken, SC 29802  
803-642-1732

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF AIKEN

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS  
SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

WARRANTS:

Jun 02 2025

VS

2022 003 00 19111

SC Court of Appeals

2022 003 00 19112

2022 003 00 19138

2022 003 00 19141

Mark Gehrig McLaurin  
DEFENDANT

ORDER APPOINTING PUBLIC DEFENDER

Brianne Steiner

This matter came before the Court by the Defendant's request to have counsel appointed for the above captioned charges.

Based on information presented, this Court finds that the Defendant is indigent and is entitled to the appointment of counsel.

IT IS THEREFORE, ORDERED THAT the Aiken County Public Defender's office is appointed to represent the Defendant.

SO ORDERED this 18 day of July 2022 in Aiken, South Carolina.

[Signature]  
Presiding Judge

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF AIKEN  
I, Robert J. Harte, Clerk of Court of Common Pleas and General Sessions for Aiken County, South Carolina do hereby certify that the foregoing constitutes a true and correct copy of the original documents which have been filed in my office this 23 day of August 2022  
[Signature]  
C.C.P. & G.S., Aiken County, S.C.  
Deputy Clerk [Signature]

FILED July 18 2022  
[Signature]  
C.C.P. & G.S.  
[Signature]  
Deputy Clerk

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**OFFICE OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT PUBLIC DEFENDER**

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**SC Court of Appeals**

South Carolina Commission  
On Indigent Defense  
Attention: Della White  
P. O. Box 11589  
Columbia, SC 29211

RE: NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAL  
Mark Gehrig McLaurin  
2023 GS 02 00754

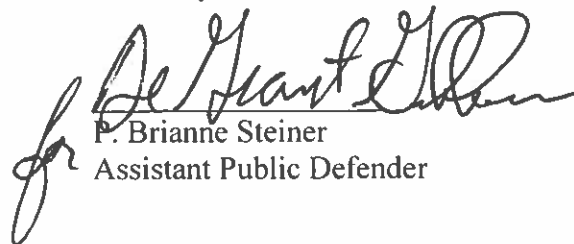
Dear Mrs. White:

Please find enclosed Notice of Intent to Appeal, Indictment, Arrest Warrant, Sentence Sheet, and Defendant's Order of Appointment.

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I am available to discuss this case if you so desire.

Sincerely,

  
P. Brianne Steiner  
Assistant Public Defender

BS: tc  
Enclosure