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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Court of Appeals

Appeal from Bamberg County
The Honorable Courtney Clyburn-Pope, Circuit Court Judge

THE STATE,

Respondent,

v.

DEAN TROY STEVENS,

Appellant.

Appellate Case No. 2024-000648

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, **J. Anthony Mabry**, of counsel for the Respondent, hereby certify that pursuant to Rule 262(c)(3), SCACR and the Supreme Court Order of April 24, 2024, the Initial Brief of Respondent has been forwarded to Appellant's counsel, Kathrine H. Hudgins, Esq., via email today, August 27, 2025 to khudgins@sccid.sc.gov, and to her assistant at cstock@sccid.sc.gov.

I further certify that all parties required by Rule to be served have been served.

This 27th day of August, 2025.

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