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IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

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**SC Court of Appeals**

Appeal from Colleton County

Honorable Marvin H. Dukes, III, Circuit Court Judge

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

JAMES AUSTIN EDWARD TOWNSEND,

APPELLANT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2025-000414

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Rule 262(a)(3) and Rule 262(c)(3), SCACR, the undersigned hereby certifies a true copy of the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the above-referenced case has been served upon Mark Farthing, Esquire, at the primary e-mail address listed in the Attorney Information System (AIS), this 24<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2025.



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Good Morning,

Attached for service in the above-referenced case is the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter which will be filed today, October 24, 2025, with the Court of Appeals via email filing.

Respectfully,

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