

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Administrative Law Court  
Hon Crystal M. Rookard, Presiding  
Docket No.25-ALJ-04-0139-AP

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MARCO BATES -- APPELLANT,

-Vs-

SOUTH CAROLINA DEP'T OF CORR. -- RESPONDENT,

NOTICE OF APPEAL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, above captioned Appellant, Marco Bates, pro-se appeals the Order of Dismissal that was entered in the above captioned by the Honorable Crystal M. Rookard, Administrative Law Judge on October 15, 2025 and received by Appellant October 20, 2025 via Institutional Legal Mail.

A copy of the Order is attached hereto.

DATED: Nov. 7, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Marco Bates #249552

Marco Bates #249552

Appellant, pro-se

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies he has served a true and correct copy of the enclosed Notice of Appeal and Final Order on the persons and/or parties whose names and addresses appear below by placing the aforesaid in properly addressed, first-class postage affixed envelopes and placed in the U.S. mail this 7th day of Nov., 2025.

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SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME

THIS 7th DAY OF Nov, 2025

Hon. Crystal M. Rookard  
SC. Administrative Law  
Court. Edgar A. Brown Bldg  
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Columbia, SC. 29201

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