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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Jasper County
Honorable Charles J. McCutchen, Circuit Court Judge
Indictment Nos. 2021-GS-27-00673 & 2021-GS-27-00675

THE STATE,

Appellant,


vs.

MARK ELLIOTT MARTIN, Jr.,

Respondent.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

The State appeals the circuit court's oral ruling excluding the Ring camera video evidence and the Cellebrite-extracted text messages obtained from the defendant's phone in this case. The Honorable Charles J. McCutchen, Circuit Court Judge, issued the ruling on November 18, 2025, during the pretrial motions hearing over the State's objection. The excluded evidence is central to the State's prosecution of the defendant for Trafficking in Methamphetamine (400 grams or more) and Trafficking in Heroin (28 grams or more) in the Jasper County Court of General Sessions. Exclusion of the evidence substantially impairs the State's ability to prosecute the case.

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I further certify that all parties required by Rule to be served have been served.
This 20th day of November, 2025.



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