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APPEAL FROM CHARLESTON COUNTY
Court of General Sessions

Charles J. McCutchen, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2024-GS-10-4730 and 2024-GS-10-4731

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The State,

Respondent,

v.

Mark Dwayne Walton,

Appellant.

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Mark Walton, by and through undersigned counsel, appeals the verdict after a jury trial and the subsequent sentence imposed on November 10, 2025, by the Honorable Charles J. McCutchen in the above-referenced case. Walton timely filed a Motion to Reconsider Sentence on November 18, 2025, which was denied via a written Order received via email on November 24, 2025. Walton hereby timely asserts his right to appeal the verdict and sentence in this case.

December 3, 2025

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I certify I have served the Notice of Appeal on opposing counsel, Chad Simpson, Esq., of the Ninth Circuit Solicitor's Office located at 101 Meeting Street, 4th Floor, Charleston, South Carolina 29401 by both hand-delivery and depositing a copy of the same in the United States mail, postage prepaid, on December 3, 2025.

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RE: State of South Carolina v. Mark Dwayne Walton
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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing are a Notice of Appeal in connection with the above-referenced case, as well as Proof of Service regarding the same, which has been filed with the Charleston County Court of General Sessions on December 2, 2025, and served upon the Respondent, Chad Simpson, Esq., of the Ninth Circuit Solicitor's Office in Charleston, South Carolina. Also enclosed are copies of both the Sentence Order and the Indictments that are subject to appeal.

Upon filing, please return a clocked copy to my office at laura@adamsbischoff.com.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding this filing, please contact my office.

Best regards,

J. Scott Bischoff, II
JSB,II/lms

Cc: Chad Simpson, Esq. via email (simpsonc@scsolicitor9.org)