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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In The Supreme Court

APPEAL FROM PICKENS COUNTY  
Court of General Sessions  
Jessica Ann Salvini, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2023-GS-39-02518

The State, .....Respondent,

v.

Benjamin Allen Harkema, .....Appellant.

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