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APPEAL FROM COLLETON COUNTY  
Court of General Sessions

SC Court of Appeals

The Honorable Carmen T. Mullen, Circuit Court Judge

Warrant No (s): 2025A1510200032  
Indictment No (s): 2025GS1500141

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

Respondent.

v.

David M Delong,

Appellant.

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

David M Delong appeals trial, conviction and sentence on the charge(s) of Drugs / Trafficking In Meth. Or Cocaine Base - 28 G Or More, But Less Than 100 G - 3rd Offense before the Honorable Mullen, Presiding Judge, Fourteenth Judicial Circuit; and David M Delong appeals the Denial of Motion for Direct Verdict on February 24, 2026 before the Honorable Mullen, Presiding Judge, Fourteenth Judicial Circuit.

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**PROOF OF SERVICE**

I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal on the below listed respondents by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on February 25, 2026.

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I further certify that on February 25, 2026 an Original Notice of Intent to Appeal in the above captioned case was filed with the Colleton County Clerk of Court.

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**Re: NOTICE OF APPEAL**  
**State v. David M DeLong**  
Warrant/Ticket No(s): 2025A1510200032

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**SC Court of Appeals**

Dear Sir/ Madam:

Enclosed you will find the original Notice of Appeal in the above matter along with Proof of Service upon the Respondents. The Notice has been filed with the Colleton County Clerk of Court. Also enclosed is a copy of the sentencing sheet from which this appeal is taken and a copy of the warrant(s) and indictment(s).

These matters are being referred to the Office of Appellate Defense in that we were participating as Court appointed counsel at trial.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,

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