

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE SUPREME COURT

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Certiorari to the Court of Appeals
Appeal from York County
Honorable William A. McKinnon, Circuit Court Judge

S.C. SUPREME COURT

Unpublished Opinion No. 2026-UP-019
(S.C. Ct. App. Heard November 6, 2025-Filed January 21, 2026)

Lower Court Case No. 2020-GS-46-03822, 2020-GS-46-03823, 2020-GS-46-03986,

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

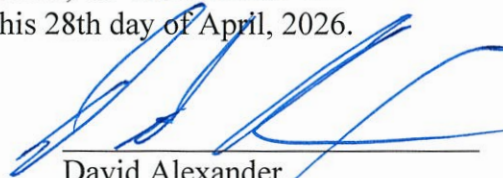
PHILLIP RYAN LAWSON,

PETITIONER

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2023-001190

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Rule 262(a)(3) and Rule 262(c)(3), SCACR, the undersigned hereby certifies a true copy of the petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals and appendix in the above-referenced case has been served upon Joshua A. Edwards, Esquire, at the primary e-mail address listed in the Attorney Information System (AIS); and the South Carolina Court of Appeals; and on Phillip R. Lawson, #391521, at McCormick Correctional Institution, 386 Redemption Way, McCormick, SC 29899, this 28th day of April, 2026.



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Good afternoon,

Attached are copies of the Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the Court of Appeals and Appendix in the above referenced case which will be filed today, April 28, 2026, with the Supreme Court.

All the best,

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