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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Georgetown County

Honorable B. Alex Hyman, Circuit Court Judge

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

JOHN ALLEN BRYANT, JR.,

APPELLANT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2025-001464

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Rule 262(a)(3) and Rule 262(c)(3), SCACR, the undersigned hereby certifies a true copy of the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the above-referenced case has been served upon Mark Farthing, Esquire, at the primary e-mail address listed in the Attorney Information System (AIS), this 30th day of April, 2026.

  
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Mr. Farthing,

Please find attached for service the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter for John A. Bryant, Jr.'s appeal which will be filed with the Court of Appeals today.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Thank you,

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