

The South Carolina Court of Appeals

Frederick Jarvis, Petitioner,

v.

State of South Carolina, Respondent.

Appellate Case No. 2025-001815

ORDER

Petitioner seeks a writ of certiorari from the denial of his application for post-conviction relief (PCR). The PCR court found, sua sponte, that Petitioner did not knowingly and intelligently waive his right to a direct appeal and granted him a belated appeal pursuant to *Davis v. State*, 288 S.C. 290, 342 S.E.2d 60 (1986). However, Petitioner declined to file a merits brief supporting the belated direct appeal and asserts there are no meritorious issues to pursue on appeal. Accordingly, after reviewing the record, we deny certiorari on Petitioner's Question Three. Based on the vote of the panel, we grant certiorari on Petitioner's remaining questions. The parties shall proceed to serve and file the appendix and briefs as provided by Rule 243(j), SCACR.

FOR THE COURT

BY


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Columbia, South Carolina

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The Honorable B. Alex Hyman

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