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NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAL  
THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS  
FROM AIKEN COUNTY

May 22, 2026

Indictment #: 2026GS0201306


THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA -- Respondent

VS.

DAWON J WELLS -- Appellant

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Dawon J Wells plead guilty on May 19, 2026, to Domestic Violence 2<sup>nd</sup> degree. He was sentenced before Judge David S. Graham, and he appeals his conviction. Penny Johnson served as the Court Reporter.

  
Barry Thompson  
Attorney for Defendant

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State of South Carolina  
Vs:  
Dawon J Wells

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Rebecca, do hereby certify that I have this day served the original of Appellant's Notice to Appeal upon the South Carolina Court of Appeals, and copies of appellant's Notice of Intent to Appeal to the Clerk of Court of Aiken County and to Michelle Hajher Assistant Solicitor, Second Judicial Circuit by email:

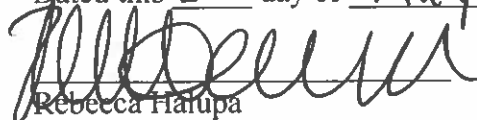
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Columbia, SC 29211

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Dated this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of may, 2026,



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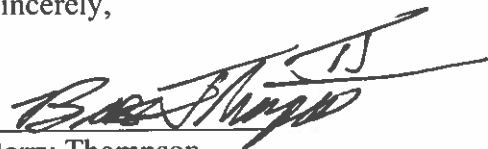
Dear Mrs. White:

Please find enclosed Notice of Intent to Appeal, Indictments, Arrest Warrants, Sentence Sheets, and Defendant's affidavit of indigency.

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I am available to discuss this case if you desire.

Sincerely,



Barry Thompson  
Assistant Public Defender

BT: rh  
Enclosure