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Re: Jay Tate, #131879 v. SCDC
Appellate Case No. 2023-001002

Dear Counsel and Mr. Tate:

Enclosed is the decision of the Court. The remittitur will be sent as provided by Rule 221(b) of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules.

Very truly yours,

Jasmine D. Smith, Deputy
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cc: Robert Lawrence Reibold, Esquire