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Re: The State v. Doyle E. McCall, Jr.
Appellate Case No. 2026-001425

Dear Counsel:

Upon review of the sentencing sheets filed July 16, 2026, it appears this is an appeal of a guilty plea. Since this is an appeal from a guilty plea, nolo contendere plea, or plea pursuant to *Alford*, Rule 203(d)(1)(B)(iv), SCACR requires

> a written explanation showing that there is an issue which can be reviewed on appeal. This explanation should identify the issue(s) to be raised on appeal and the factual basis for the issue(s) including how the issue(s) was raised below and the ruling of the lower court on that issue(s). If an issue was not raised to and ruled on by the lower court, the explanation shall include argument and citation to legal authority showing how this issue can be reviewed on appeal.

Please provide your explanation to the Court. Additionally, please forward your explanation to your client, along with a statement that your client has twenty (20) days from the date of your transmittal letter to inform this Court in writing of any arguable basis that there are issues preserved for appeal. Please provide your client with the Court's address:

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Please file your explanation and send the above-referenced letter to your client within ten (10) days, **with a copy to this Court**, or this appeal will be dismissed.

Very truly yours,

Jasmine D. Smith, Deputy

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