

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Indictment Nos.: 2025-GS-46-05665

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS
State of South Carolina

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-vs-

ANGIE M. BRYANT
C.C.C.P. & GS
YORK COUNTY, SC

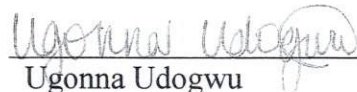
Christopher David Mattox
Defendant.

RULE 203(B) EXPLANATION

Pursuant to Rule 203(B)(iv), the issue to be raised on appeal is Mr. Mattox appeals his/her 10 year sentence he received. Mr. Maxon did receive credit for time served which was 244 days.

The undersigned does not have a good faith basis to believe that this issue is properly before the Court of Appeals, and the undersigned did not object to the sentence or file a motion to reconsider the sentence. Nevertheless, the undersigned consulted with the Appellant about his right to appeal, and after consultation, the undersigned has filed the instant appeal at the request of the Appellant because the Sixth Amendment requires counsel to follow the Appellant's request. *See Frazer v. South Carolina*, 430 F.3d 696, 705 (4th Cir. 2005) ("A defendant has a right to pursue a direct appeal, even if frivolous, which counsel must assist as 'an active advocate on behalf of his client.'") (quoting *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738, 744 (1967)).

Respectfully submitted,


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