

The Supreme Court of South Carolina

Wesley Edward Smith, III, Appellant,

v.

Sidney H. Pratt, Respondent.

Appellate Case No. 2026-001979

ORDER

Petitioner has filed a petition for a writ of certiorari in this matter. Because Petitioner failed to file a timely petition for rehearing from the Court of Appeals' opinion and the remittitur has been sent pursuant to Rule 221 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR), Petitioner's petition for a writ of certiorari is stricken and dismissed. *See* Rule 242(a), SCACR (providing this Court will only review a final decision of the Court of Appeals); Rule 242(c), SCACR (providing a decision is not final for the purposes of review until a petition for rehearing or reinstatement has been acted on by the Court of Appeals); *Stogsdill v. SC Dep't of Health & Human Servs.*, 415 S.C. 568, 784 S.E.2d 669 (2016) (stating the sending of the remittitur ends appellate jurisdiction over a case).



C.J.

FOR THE COURT

Columbia, South Carolina
September 9, 2026

cc: Wesley Edward Smith, III
Sidney H. Pratt
The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings