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Bobby J. Barton, 163629
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P O Box 580
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Re: Bobby Joe Barton v. State
Appellate Case No. 2026-002032

Dear Mr. Barton:

This Court has received your notice of appeal, which is being construed as a petition for a writ of certiorari under Rule 242 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR). Your case has been assigned the case number referenced above. Please use this number on all future correspondence relating to this matter.

Upon reviewing your notice of appeal, the following deficiency or deficiencies have been noted under the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR), and any deficiency must be corrected within ten (10) days of the date of this letter:

- You must file an amended petition for writ of certiorari that complies with the content requirements set forth in Rule 242, SCACR.

All parties to this matter are advised that all filings must comply with the requirements of Rule 242 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR). The SCACR are available online at www.sccourts.org/courtreg.

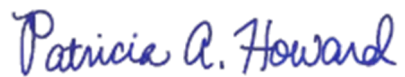
Additionally, any filings submitted by counsel admitted in South Carolina must include counsel's bar number.

The attention of the parties is directed to the order relating to the inclusion of personal data identifiers and other sensitive information in documents filed with the Supreme Court of South Carolina and the South Carolina Court of Appeals. The order can be found at www.sccourts.org/whatsnew/displaywhatsnew.cfm?indexID=932.

Please note that the responsibility for ensuring that information is redacted or sealed as required by this order rests with counsel and the parties. This office will not review filings for redaction or to determine if materials should be sealed.

Finally, any request for any extension in this case must comply with this Court's Order dated July 16, 2014. This order is available at <https://www.sccourts.org/courtOrders/displayOrder.cfm?orderNo=2014-07-16-01>.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Patricia A. Howard". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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cc: Carly Harter Davis
The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings