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The Honorable Gary Hale
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REMITTITUR

Re: The State v. Melissa A. Delk
Lower Court Case No. 2026GS1500041
Appellate Case No. 2026-001946

Dear Clerk of Court:

The above referenced matter is hereby remitted to the lower court or tribunal. A copy of the judgment of this Court is enclosed.

Very truly yours,

Jasmine D. Smith, Deputy

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Enclosure

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The State, Respondent,

v.

Melissa Ann Delk, Appellant.

Appellate Case No. 2026-001946

ORDER

This appeal arises out of a sentence imposed on August 10, 2026. The proof of service provided with the notice of appeal shows service on August 25, 2026. Because the notice of appeal was not timely served, the appeal is dismissed. *See State v. Devore*, 416 S.C. 115, 119, 784 S.E.2d 690, 692 (Ct. App. 2016) (noting timely service of the notice of appeal is a jurisdictional requirement); Rule 203(b)(2), SCACR ("After a plea or trial resulting in conviction or a proceeding resulting in revocation of probation, a notice of appeal shall be served on all respondents within ten (10) days after the sentence is imposed."). The remittitur will be sent as provided by Rule 221(b) of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules.

_____, J.
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