

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Court of Appeals

CERTIORARI TO RICHLAND COUNTY
Deadra L. Jefferson, Circuit Court Judge

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SC Court of Appeals

Hank E. Hawes, Petitioner

v.

State of South Carolina, Respondent,

Appellate Case No. 2023-001759

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Pursuant to Rule 262(c)(3), SCACR, undersigned counsel hereby certifies that a true copy of the brief of petitioner in the above-referenced case has been served upon D. Russell Barlow, II, at the primary e-mail address listed in the Attorney Information System (AIS) this 26th day of October 2026.

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