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Valeria Farr  
1716 Dupont Lane  
Columbia, South Carolina 29223

RE: The State v Valeria Farr  
2012A4021602059

Dear Valeria

I filed a Notice of Appeal for you along with my explanation ( copy enclosed). You must write the Court of Appeals using the enclosed form saying why you believe there are legal issues to appeal.

You must file the same with the South Carolina Court of Appeals, at this address: South Carolina Court of Appeals, 1015 Sumter Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29201, no later than August 26, 2014.

Sincerely,

  
John E. Duncan

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Cc: South Carolina Court of Appeals

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In The Court of Appeals

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APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY  
Court of General Sessions

Deidra Jefferson, Circuit Court Judge

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Case No. 2012A4021602059

Valeria Farr,

Applicant

v.

State of South Carolina,

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Appeal Issues

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s/ \_\_\_\_\_  
Valeria Farr

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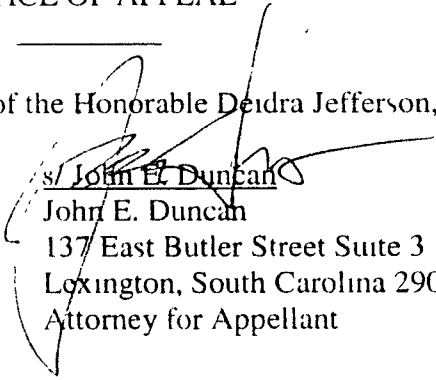
v.

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Valeria Farr appeals the decision of the Honorable Deidra Jefferson, dated July 22, 2014

  
s/ John E. Duncan  
John E. Duncan  
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Attorney for Appellant

Other Counsel of Record  
Anne Spears, Esquire  
5th Judicial Circuit Solicitor's Office  
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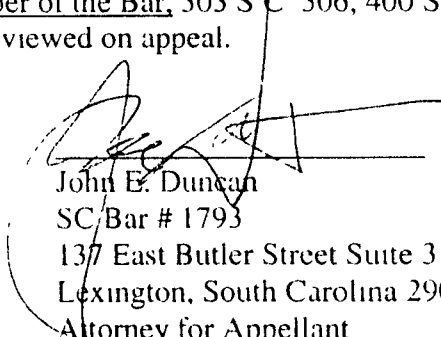
Appellant.

Explanation of Appeal  
Pursuant to Rule 203(D)(1)(b)(iv)

Appellant Valeria Farr was originally charged with attempted murder. She pled guilty to Assault and Battery 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree before the Honorable Deidra Jefferson on July 22, 2014. Judge Jefferson imposed a sentence of thirty days suspended upon time served of five days.

Appellant is dissatisfied with her plea, and has specifically instructed counsel to appeal. Accordingly, undersigned counsel files this appeal at the request of Appellant, and pursuant to State v Thrift, 378 S.C. 70, 661 S.E.2d 373 (2008), Weathers v White, 319 S.C. 59, 459 S.E.2d 838 (1995), and In re Anonymous Member of the Bar, 303 S.C. 306, 400 S.E. 2d 483 (1991) Counsel knows of no issue that can be reviewed on appeal.

July 29, 2014



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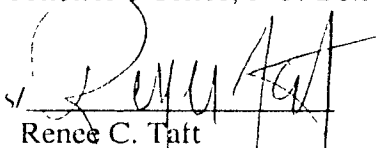
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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal on Anne Spears Esquire, 5<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit Assistant Solicitor by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on August 1, 2014, addressed to: 5<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit Solicitor's Office, P O. Box 192, Columbia South Carolina 29201

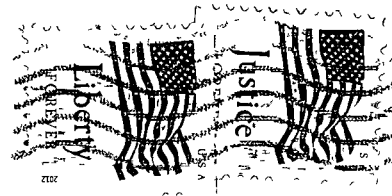
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