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~~The State~~, .....

Respondent,

v.

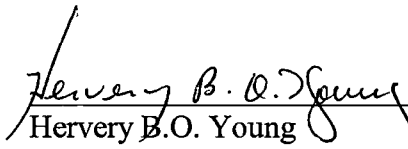
Billy Ray Smith, .....

Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Billy Ray Smith appeals his conviction and sentence in this case. The sentence was imposed by the Honorable R. Scott Sprouse on November 18, 2015.

November 25, 2015

  
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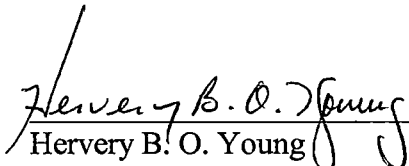
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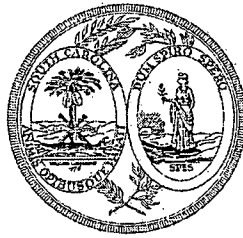
I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal on the below listed respondents by personally delivering a copy of it on November 25, 2015, addressed to its attorneys, Kristin Reeves, Post Office Box 8002, Anderson, South Carolina 29622 and by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, Salley W. Elliott, SC Attorney General Office, Post Office Box 11549, Columbia, South Carolina 29211.

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**Re: State v. Billy Ray Smith**

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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed you will find a Notice of Appeal, the Proof of Service upon the Respondent, and a copy of the Indictments in the above referenced case. The Notice has been filed with the Anderson County Clerk of Court. This matter is a criminal appeal and is being referred to the Office of Appellate Defense in that I was appointed counsel at trial.

Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Hervery B.O. Young

cc: Kristin Reeves, Assistant Solicitor  
Salley W. Elliott, Assistant Deputy Attorney General  
Robert M. Dudek, Chief Appellate Defender