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Court of General Sessions

Brian M. Gibbons, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2014-GS-29-47, 2014-GS-29-48

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Respondent,

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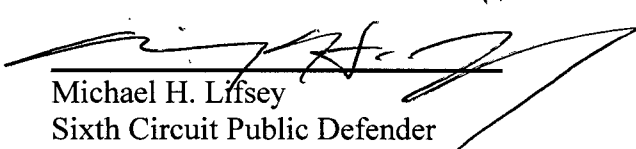
John Marion Ghent, Jr.,

Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

John Marion Ghent, Jr. appeals his convictions and sentences in this case. The sentences were imposed by the Honorable Brian M. Gibbons on March 17, 2016.

March 23, 2016


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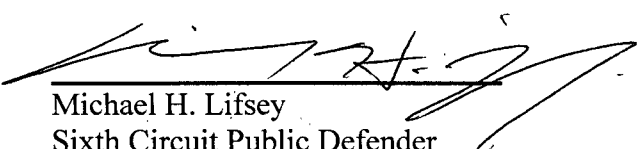
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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal on The State by personally delivering a copy of it to its attorney of record, Randy E. Newman, Jr., at his office at the Lancaster County Courthouse, 104 North Main Street, Lancaster, South Carolina 29720, on March 23, 2016.

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RE: State v. John Marion Ghent, Jr. Case No. 2014-GS-29-47 and 48

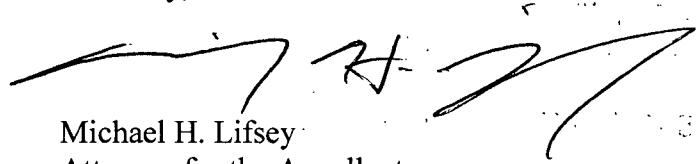
Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing is a notice of appeal in the above case. Also enclosed are the following:

- (1) Proof of service of the notice of appeal on the respondent.
- (2) A copy of the Indictments and Sentence Sheets.

This is an appeal from an appointed criminal case and, therefore, I anticipate that Appellate Defense will handle the appeal. I am copying them with this letter and the enclosed documents.

Sincerely,



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