

# The Supreme Court of South Carolina

Patrick Lee Booker, Petitioner,

v.

State of South Carolina, Respondent.

Appellate Case No. 2012-212979

Lower Court Case No. 2012-CP-23-2384

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## ORDER

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In *Booker v. State*, Appellate Case No. 2010-150506, this Court issued an order dated April 7, 2010. This order prohibited petitioner from filing any further collateral actions challenging his 2003 convictions without first obtaining the permission of this Court to do so. Despite this order and without obtaining the permission of this Court, petitioner filed this post-conviction relief (PCR) action in the circuit court in 2012.

The circuit court dismissed this PCR action based on the April 2010 order, and petitioner has now filed a notice of appeal. Petitioner asserts that the April 2010 order is not applicable since he is only challenging the sentences imposed in 2003.

Since this PCR action involves a collateral challenge that is related to his 2003 convictions, it was improperly filed without this Court's permission. Accordingly, the notice of appeal is hereby dismissed. The remittitur will be sent as provided by Rule 221, SCACR.

Petitioner is advised that this Court's order of April 2010 is applicable to any collateral challenge that is filed in the circuit court which is in any way related to the 2003 guilty pleas listed in the April 2010 order. He is warned that further filings of this nature without first obtaining the permission of this Court may result

in further restrictions being place on his ability to make filings in the courts of this State.



C.J.  
FOR THE COURT.

Columbia, South Carolina

October 9, 2012

cc: Mr. Patrick L. Booker, # 297590  
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The Honorable Paul B. Wickensimer