

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

APPEAL FROM CHARLESTON COUNTY  
Court of General Sessions

Benjamin Culbertson, Circuit Court Judge

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THE STATE, ..... RESPONDENT,

v.

NATHANIEL TAYLOR ..... APPELLANT,

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Nathaniel Taylor appeals his plea and sentence in this case. The defendant entered a guilty plea on August 10, 2016 in front of the Honorable Benjamin Culbertson. The sentence was imposed by the Honorable Benjamin Culbertson on August 10, 2016.

Pursuant to Rule 203(d)(1)(B)(iv) of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules, Counsel for the Appellant provides the following explanation showing the issues which can be reviewed on appeal: Counsel for the Appellant is filing this Notice of Appeal in response to the Defendant's express wish to exercise his right to appeal. Counsel was

instructed by the Appellant to initiate these appellate proceedings, and is of the belief that she is ethically bound to assist the Appellant in doing so. Counsel is not aware of any viable appellate issues that can be reviewed at this procedural posture, and Counsel is unable to identify or enumerate any facts in the record that would warrant reversal of the court's ruling at this time.



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I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal on Amy Harrell, Assistant Solicitor for Charleston County, by hand delivering a copy of it to the Charleston County Solicitor's Office at 101 Meeting Street, Charleston, South Carolina 29401, on September 19, 2016.



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Dear Ms. Murdough:

I am enclosing a duplicate set of the Appeal papers, which I have forwarded to the Clerk of the South Carolina Court of Appeals concerning the above-subject defendant. This defendant was represented by our office as an indigent, pursuant to the Defense of Indigents Act, and it is requested that your office assume the appeal of this case.

The name of the court reporter is Joyce C. Rueger P.O Box 1472, Johns Island , SC 29457. I have enclosed documents usually requested by your office. Documents listed but not applicable to this particular case have been marked "N/A."

I thank you in advance for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions or comments concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

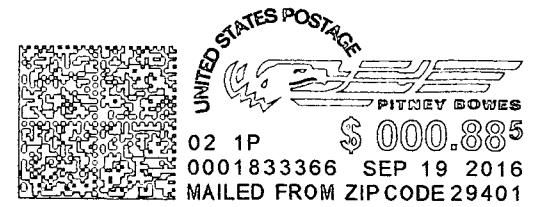
Sincerely,



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Enclosure(s)

cc: Nathaniel Taylor



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