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CITED OR RELIED ON AS PRECEDENT IN ANY PROCEEDING  
EXCEPT AS PROVIDED BY RULE 268(d)(2), SCACR.**

**THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In The Court of Appeals**

The State, Respondent,

v.

Russell Alan Tupper, Appellant.

Appellate Case No. 2015-000717

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Appeal From Oconee County  
R. Lawton McIntosh, Circuit Court Judge

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**APPEAL DISMISSED**

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of Anderson, for Respondent.

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**PER CURIAM:** Dismissed after review pursuant to *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). Counsel's motion to be relieved is granted.<sup>1</sup>

**APPEAL DISMISSED.**

**LOCKEMY, C.J., and KONDUROS and MCDONALD, JJ., concur.**

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<sup>1</sup> We decide this case without oral argument pursuant to Rule 215, SCACR.