

The Supreme Court of South Carolina

William Ricky Welch, Petitioner,

v.

State of South Carolina, Respondent.

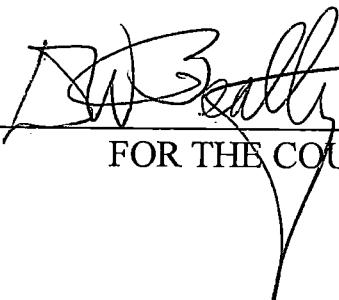
Appellate Case No. 2016-002428

Lower Court Case No. 2013CP4301169

ORDER

By order dated February 17, 2017, petitioner's counsel, Fulton Casey Dale Cornwell, was placed on interim suspension by this Court. Mr. Cornwell is hereby relieved as counsel in this matter.

The Division of Appellate Defense of the Office of Indigent Defense is hereby appointed to represent petitioner in this matter.¹ Within twenty (20) days of the date of this order, Appellate Defense shall provide the motion and document requested by this Court's letter dated December 7, 2016.



FOR THE COURT C.J.

Columbia, South Carolina
March 08, 2017

cc: Alan McCrory Wilson, Esquire
Mr. William Ricky Welch, 208451

Division of Appellate Defense

¹ The public case index for Sumter County indicates that Mr. Cornwell was appointed counsel. If, of course, the Division of Appellate Defense now determines that Mr. Welch is not indigent, it may move to be relieved as counsel for petitioner.