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Susan Barber Hackett, Appellate Defender  
South Carolina Commission on Indigent Defense  
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P.O. Box 11589  
Columbia, South Carolina 29211-1589

Re: South Carolina v. Alexander L. Hunsberger  
No. 16-1142

Dear Ms. Hackett:

Enclosed is the United States Supreme Court form notifying you that the petition in the above case was filed and placed on the docket. Also enclosed is the accompanying waiver form for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Melody J. Brown  
Senior Assistant Attorney General

Enclosures

cc: Honorable Scott S. Harris, Clerk, United States Supreme Court  
Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse, Clerk, Supreme Court of South Carolina  
Honorable S. R. Hubbard, III, Solicitor, Eleventh Judicial Circuit  
Trisha Allen, Victim Services, Office of the Attorney General, State of South Carolina

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South Carolina  
(Petitioner)

v.

No. 16-1142 S.C. SUPREME COURT

Alexander L. Hunsberger  
(Respondent)

To Susan Barber Hackett, Appellate Defender Counsel for Respondent:

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** pursuant to Rule 12.3 that a petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-entitled case was filed in the Supreme Court of the United States on March 13, 2017, and placed on the docket March 21, 2017. Pursuant to Rule 15.3, the due date for a brief in opposition is Thursday, April 20, 2017. If the due date is a Saturday, Sunday, or federal legal holiday, the brief is due on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or federal legal holiday.

Unless the Solicitor General of the United States represents the respondent, a waiver form is enclosed and should be sent to the Clerk only in the event you do not intend to file a response to the petition.

Only counsel of record will receive notification of the Court's action in this case. Counsel of record must be a member of the Bar of this Court.

Ms. Melody Jane Brown  
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NOTE: This notice is for notification purposes only, and neither the original nor a copy should be filed in the Supreme Court.

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## Supreme Court of the United States

No. 16-1142

South Carolina  
(Petitioner)

v.

Alexander L. Hunsberger  
(Respondent)

I DO NOT INTEND TO FILE A RESPONSE to the petition for a writ of certiorari unless one is requested by the Court.

Please check the appropriate boxes:

- Please enter my appearance as Counsel of Record for all respondents.
- There are multiple respondents, and I do not represent all respondents. Please enter my appearance as Counsel of Record for the following respondent(s):

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- I am a member of the Bar of the Supreme Court of the United States.
- I am not presently a member of the Bar of this Court. Should a response be requested, the response will be filed by a Bar member.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(Type or print) Name \_\_\_\_\_

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SEND A COPY OF THIS FORM TO PETITIONER'S COUNSEL OR TO PETITIONER IF *PRO SE*. PLEASE INDICATE BELOW THE NAME(S) OF THE RECIPIENT(S) OF A COPY OF THIS FORM. NO ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE IS REQUIRED.

Cc:

Obtain status of case on the docket. By phone at 202-479-3034 or via the internet at <http://www.supremecourtus.gov>. Have the Supreme Court docket number available.



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