

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

APPEAL FROM CHARLESTON COUNTY
Court of General Sessions

Kristi L. Harrington, Circuit Court Judge

INDICTMENT NO.: 2014GS1005389; 2015GS1001986

THE STATE, RESPONDENT,

v.

EDRIAN WRIGHT APPELLANT,

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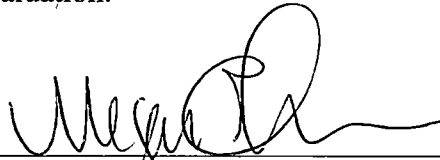
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AMENDED NOTICE OF APPEAL

Edrian Wright appeals his plea and sentence in this case. The defendant entered a guilty plea on August 5, 2015 in front of the Honorable Kristi L. Harrington. The sentence was imposed by the Honorable Kristi L. Harrington on August 5, 2015. A motion to reconsider his sentence was filed on August 11, 2015, and Judge Harrington denied that motion in an order filed on May 9, 2017

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 Amended 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 he is ethically bound to assist the Appellant in doing so. The grounds for

the Defendant's appeal are that the sentence imposed by the Court was unnecessarily severe and the Court did not meaningfully consider the mitigating evidence submitted on behalf of the Defendant in the Memorandum in Support of the Motion to Reconsider Sentence and forensic psychological evaluation.



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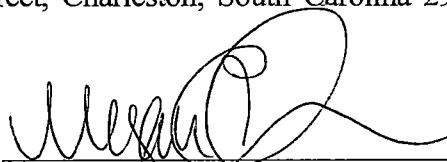
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AMENDED PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal on T. Richard Waring, 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 May 19, 2017.



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Re: The State v. Edrian Wright
Appellate Case No. 2017-001151

Dear Counsel:

Upon reviewing your notice of appeal, the following deficiency or deficiencies have been noted under the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR), and any deficiency must be corrected within ten (10) days of the date of this letter, or this appeal may be dismissed:

- The caption/title is inconsistent. Specifically, the notice of appeal states that the appellant's name is Edrian White, however the sentencing sheets and public index search indicate that the appellant's name should be listed on the notice as Edrian Wright. Please provide an amended notice of appeal with the correct name of the appellant listed in the caption.

Very truly yours,

Jenny Abbott Kitchings

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Dear Counsel:

This Court has received your notice of appeal, and the case has been assigned the appellate case number that appears above. Please use this number on all future correspondence relating to this matter.

All parties to this matter are advised that all filings must comply with the requirements of Rule 267 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR). The SCACR are available online at www.sccourts.org/courtreg. Additionally, any filings submitted by counsel admitted in South Carolina must include counsel's bar number.

The attention of the parties is directed to the order relating to the inclusion of personal data identifiers and other sensitive information in documents filed with the Supreme Court of South Carolina and the South Carolina Court of Appeals. The order can be found at www.sccourts.org/courtOrders/displayOrder.cfm?orderNo=2014-04-15-02. Please note that the responsibility for insuring that information is redacted or sealed as required by this order rests with counsel and the parties. This office will *not* review

filings for redaction or to determine if materials should be sealed.

This is to advise that the title in the above matter has been changed to read as follows:

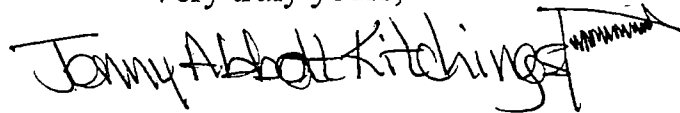
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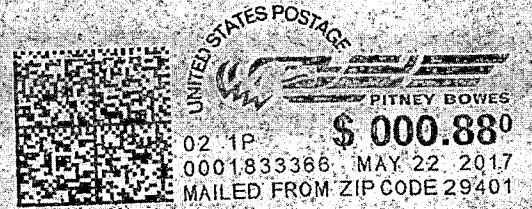
All future records in this matter should be changed to reflect this title. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tommy Abbott Kitching". The signature is written in a cursive style and includes a large, stylized flourish at the end.

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