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**THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Supreme Court**

The State, Respondent,

v.

Wayne Albeon Scott, Jr., Petitioner.

Appellate Case No. 2016-000067

ON WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal From Florence County
Howard King, Circuit Court Judge

Memorandum Opinion No. 2017-MO-010
Heard May 2, 2017 – Filed May 31, 2017

**CERTIORARI DISMISSED AS IMPROVIDENTLY
GRANTED**

Appellate Defender LaNelle Cantey DuRant, of
Columbia, for Petitioner.

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Attorney General J. Robert Bolchoz, and Senior Assistant
Deputy Attorney General Donald J. Zelenka, all of

Columbia; Solicitor Edgar Lewis Clements, III, of
Florence, all for Respondent.

PER CURIAM: We granted Wayne Albeon Scott, Jr.'s petition for a writ of certiorari to review the Court of Appeals' decision affirming the circuit court's refusal to grant Scott immunity under the South Carolina Protection of Persons and Property Act. *State v. Scott*, Op. No. 2015-UP-513 (S.C. Ct. App. filed Nov. 12, 2015). We now dismiss the writ as improvidently granted.

DISMISSED AS IMPROVIDENTLY GRANTED.

**BEATTY, C.J., KITTREDGE, HEARN, FEW, JJ., and Acting Justice
DeAndrea Benjamin, concur.**