

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In the Appellate Court

APPEAL FROM ANDERSON COUNTY  
Court of General Sessions

Perry H. Gravely, Circuit Court Judge

Case No(s): 1988GS0400476-478; 1988GS0400483

The State,

Respondent.

v.

Matthew Thomas Pickens,

Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Matthew Thomas Pickens appeals the decision made by the Honorable Perry H. Gravely on June 22, 2017.

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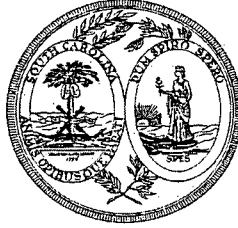
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Dear Ms. Gee:

Enclosed you will find the original Notice of Appeal in the above matter along with Proof of Service upon the Respondents. The Notice has been filed with the Anderson County Clerk of Court. Also enclosed is a copy of the Order of Dismissal. These matters are being referred to the Office of Appellate Defense in that we were participating as Court appointed counsel at trial.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

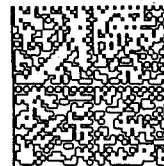
Yours very truly,

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Enclosure

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