

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )  
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COUNTY OF DARLINGTON )  
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IN THE MATTER OF THE CARE )  
AND TREATMENT OF )  
TIMOTHY WAYNE SCHAEFER, )  
RESPONDENT. )

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

CASE NO. 2016-CP-16-00081

ORDER OF COMMITMENT

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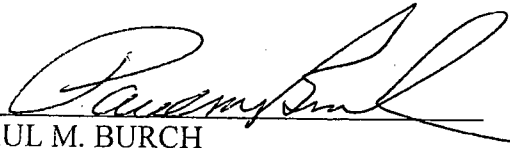
The trial of this case was held in the Darlington County Court of Common Pleas the week of October 30<sup>th</sup> 2017. A jury of citizens from Darlington County heard this case pursuant to a request for a jury trial filed by the State. Senior Assistant Attorney General James G. Bogle, Jr. represented the State and James K. Falk, Esquire, represented the Respondent. The jury having heard the presentation of the evidence made the following findings of fact pursuant to S. C. Code Ann. Sections 44-48-90 and 44-48-100:

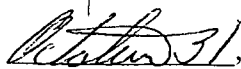
The State has proven beyond a reasonable doubt that Respondent, Timothy Wayne Schaefer, is a sexually violent predator as that term is defined in S. C. Code Ann. Section 44-48-30.

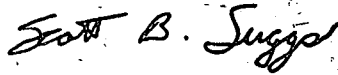
NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- (a) Respondent Timothy Wayne Schaefer is committed to the Department of Mental Health for his long-term control, care and treatment;
- (b) Respondent Timothy Wayne Schaefer is to continue to be detained at the Darlington County Detention Center, and then transported to the secure facility of the South Carolina Department of Mental Health. The Detention Center is to transport Respondent on such scheduled date as it coordinates with the Department of Mental Health.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED.

  
PAUL M. BURCH  
Fourth Judicial Circuit  
Court of Common Pleas

  
October 31, 2017  
Darlington, South Carolina

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