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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
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COUNTY OF DILLON)
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IN THE MATTER OF THE CARE)
AND TREATMENT OF)
JOSHUA FLOWERS,)
RESPONDENT.)
_____)

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS 2017
FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT NOV 20 2017

SC Court of Appeals

CASE NO. 2016-CP-17-00192

ORDER OF COMMITMENT

The trial of this case was held in the Dillon County Court of Common Pleas the week of November 6, 2017. A jury of citizens from Dillon 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:

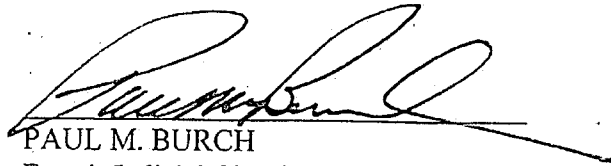
The State has proven beyond a reasonable doubt that Respondent, Joshua Flowers, is a sexually violent predator as that term is defined in S. C. Code Ann. Section 44-48-30.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

(a) Respondent Joshua Flowers is committed to the Department of Mental Health for his long-term control, care and treatment;

(b) Respondent Joshua Flowers is to continue to be detained at the Dillon 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

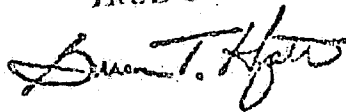
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