

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The South Carolina Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM WILLIAMSBURG COUNTY
COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS
The Honorable Michael G. Nettles, Circuit Court Judge

Case No: 2009-GS-45-0180

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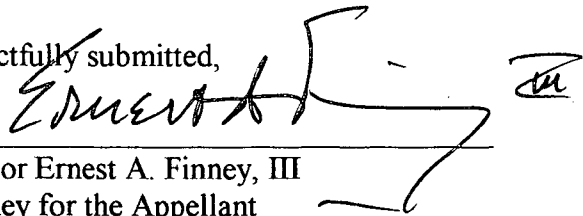
v.

RONALD HAKEEM MACKDefendant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

The State of South Carolina appeals the Honorable Michael G. Nettles' Orders dated November 15, 2017, denying the State's Motion for Reconsideration and the Order denying the State's Motion to Dismiss the Defendant's motion for resentencing pursuant to *Aiken v. Byars*. The State filed a Motion to Reconsider on June 23, 2016. The Motion was denied by Order dated November 15, 2017. The State received notice of the Order on November 16, 2017.

Respectfully submitted,



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November 22, 2017

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Ernest A. Finney, III, Solicitor of the Third Judicial Circuit, Counsel for the State, certify that I have today served the Notice of Appeal upon the Defendant Ronald H. Mack by depositing a copy of it in the United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed to his attorney of record:

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I further certify that all parties required by Rule to be served have been served this 22nd day of November 2017.

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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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Re: State v. Ronald Mack, 2009-GS-45-180

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

I have enclosed a copy of our Notice of Appeal and the certificate of service showing that a copy of this Notice of Appeal was sent via regular mail to defense counsel. Also, the originals have been mailed to the Williamsburg County Court for filing.

We are requesting that the Clerk of Court send certified copies of the above documents to your office, Judge Nettles, our office and to defense counsel. She will attach, to these documents, certified copies of Judge Nettles' Orders Denying the State's Motion to Dismiss Applicant's Petition and the State's Motion for Reconsideration.

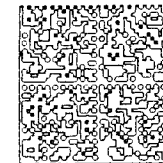
Please call me if this office can provide you with any additional information.

Sincerely,

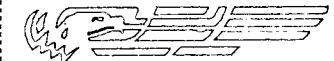
A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ernest A. Finney, III", with a stylized flourish extending to the right.

Ernest A. Finney, III

Cc: Hon. Michael Nettles, Hon. Clerk Staggers, Atty. Laura Baer
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