

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAL
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS
APPEAL FROM CHARLESTON COUNTY
HONORABLE JUDGE DEADRA JEFFERSON**

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Indictments:

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**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
Respondent**

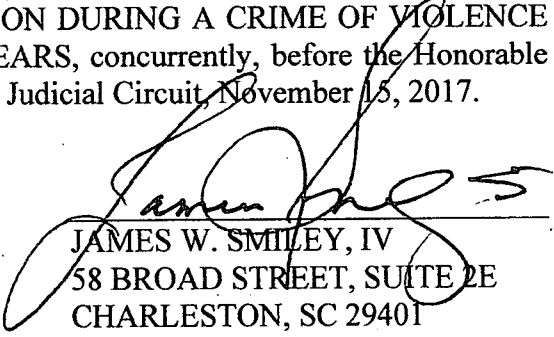
VS.

**DEMETRIUS J. YOUNG.
Appellant**

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

The Defendant appeals verdicts of guilty to the charges of ATTEMPTED MURDER AND POSSESSION OF A WEAPON DURING A CRIME OF VIOLENCE and his sentences of TEN years and FIVE YEARS, concurrently, before the Honorable Deadra Jefferson, Presiding Judge of the Ninth Judicial Circuit, November 15, 2017.


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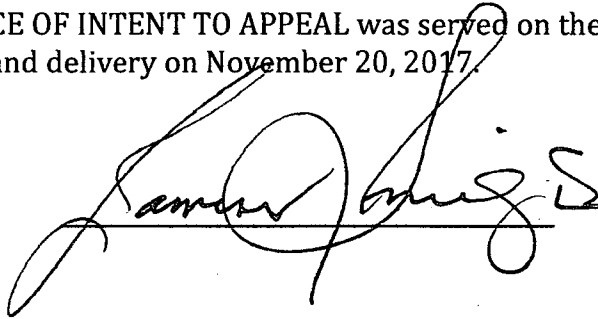
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I hereby certify that this NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAL was served on the Solicitor for the 9th Judicial Circuit by hand delivery on November 20, 2017.

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APPEAL FROM CHARLESTON COUNTY
Court of General Sessions

Judge Deadra Jefferson, Circuit Court Judge

DOCKET #; 2016-GS-10-03465, 2016-GS-10-03466

State of South Carolina, ... Respondent.

v.

Demetrius J. Young, ... Appellant.

MOTION TO PROCEED WITHOUT COSTS IN THE APPELLATE COURT

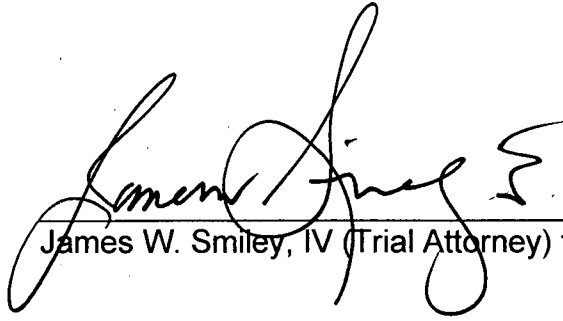
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Demetrius J. Young, moves for an order allowing him to proceed *in forma pauperis* in this appeal, on the following grounds.

Appellant is indigent. He appeals a verdicts of guilty following a trial in the above referenced matter. Although his mother was able to retain counsel for his trial, the appellant is unemployed and has been incarcerated since May 24, 2017.

Defendant is an indigent. Defendant therefore respectfully that he be allowed to proceed *in forma pauperis* in this appeal, taken under Ex Parte Cauthen, 291 S.C. 465, 354 S.E.2d 381 (1987).

Defendant additionally requests that the South Carolina be ordered to pay for the entire trial transcript costs.

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James W. Smiley, IV (Trial Attorney) for Stewart J. Middleton

Other Counsel of Record:

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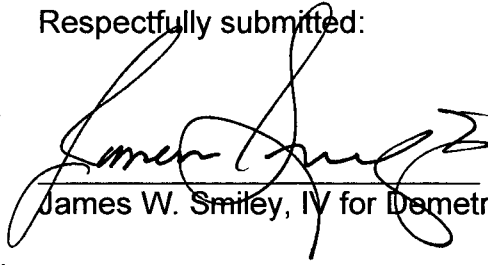
REQUEST FOR REPRESENTATION ON APPEAL

On behalf of the request of the above named Appellant, to be represented
by the South Carolina Commission of Appellate Defense, the undersigned
defendant would show unto this Honorable Court:

1. That he has been in custody since May 24, 2017.
2. That he is unemployed.
3. That he was convicted and sentenced on the above captioned charge on November 15, 2017 after a Jury Trial.
4. That he is unable to afford to hire counsel to pursue his appeal.
5. Defendant/Appellant has been informed that he may request assistance from the South Carolina Commission of Appellate Defense in perfecting his appeal.
6. A timely Notice of Appeal has been filed on the DefendantAppellant's behalf.
7. Defendant /Appellant has been informed that nothing requires that office to pursue this appeal unless the office's Chief Attorney is satisfied that there is arguable merit to this appeal and that he cannot afford to hire an attorney.

At this time, the Defendant Appellant requests the aid of the South
Carolina Commission of Appellate Defense in perfecting his appeal.

Respectfully submitted:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. Smiley, IV", written over a horizontal line.

James W. Smiley, IV for Demetrius J. Young

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Monday, November 27, 2017

Ms. Joyce C. Rueger

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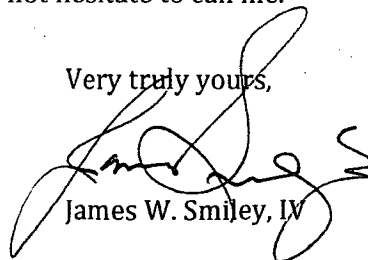
Dear Ms. Rueger:

Please be advised that I have filed a Notice of Appeal in the above referenced case. Therefore, the Plaintiff will need a transcript of the proceedings. This case was heard before Judge Deadra Jefferson on November 13-15, 2017 as a Trial in Charleston County General Sessions Court. You were one of four Court Reporters in this case. I believe you covered the trial on November 14, 2017.

I have filed a Request for Representation on Appeal and Motion to Proceed without costs on behalf of Mr. Young with the Court of Appeals. In my motion, we have asked that the State be required to pay the costs of the full transcript.

Should you have any questions or require anything further from me in order to prepare this transcript, please do not hesitate to call me.

Very truly yours,



James W. Smiley, IV

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Ms. Karen Andersen

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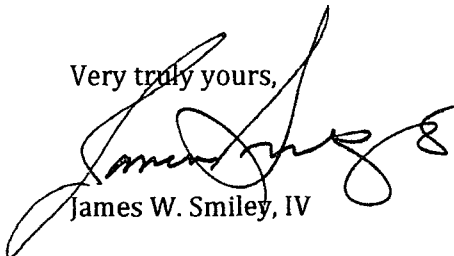
Dear Ms. Andersen:

Please be advised that I have filed a Notice of Appeal in the above referenced case. Therefore, the Plaintiff will need a transcript of the proceedings. This case was heard before Judge Deadra Jefferson on November 13-15, 2017 as a Trial in Charleston County General Sessions Court. You were one of four Court Reporters in this case. I believe you covered the trial on November 15, 2017.

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Very truly yours,



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Ms. Denise Lauder

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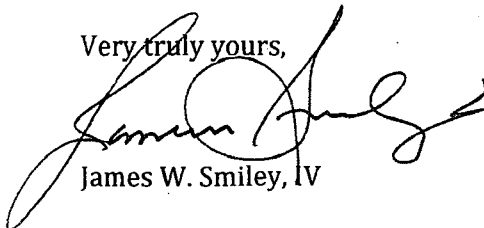
Dear Ms. Lauder:

Please be advised that I have filed a Notice of Appeal in the above referenced case. Therefore, the Plaintiff will need a transcript of the proceedings. This case was heard before Judge Deadra Jefferson on November 13, 2017 as a Trial in Charleston County General Sessions Court. You were one of four Court Reporters in this case. I believe you covered a Pretrial Hearing on the afternoon of the 13th.

I have filed a Request for Representation on Appeal and Motion to Proceed without costs on behalf of Mr. Young with the Court of Appeals. In my motion, we have asked that the State be required to pay the costs of the full transcript.

Should you have any questions or require anything further from me in order to prepare this transcript, please do not hesitate to call me.

Very truly yours,



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Ms. Amanda K. Haffenden

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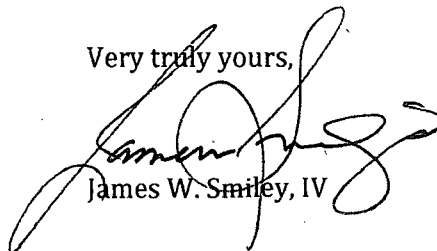
Dear Ms. Haffenden:

Please be advised that I have filed a Notice of Appeal in the above referenced case. Therefore, the Plaintiff will need a transcript of the proceedings. This case was heard before Judge Deadra Jefferson on November 13, 2017 as a Trial in Charleston County General Sessions Court. You were one of four Court Reporters in this case. I believe you covered Jury Selection.

I have filed a Request for Representation on Appeal and Motion to Proceed without costs on behalf of Mr. Young with the Court of Appeals. In my motion, we have asked that the State be required to pay the costs of the full transcript.

Should you have any questions or require anything further from me in order to prepare this transcript, please do not hesitate to call me.

Very truly yours,



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The Honorable Kenneth A. Richstad
Clerk of Court, SC Court of Appeals
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Columbia, SC 29211

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Re: State of South Carolina v. Demetrius J. Young

INDICTMENTS #; 2016GS1003465, 206GS1003466

Dear Mr. Richstad:

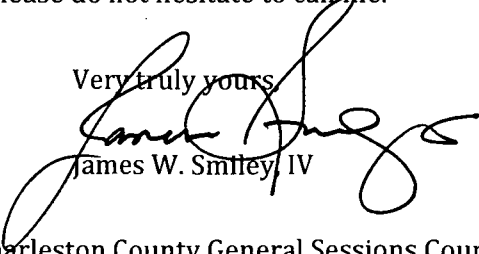
Enclosed please find for filing two copies of our Notice of Appeal in the above referenced matter which was filed with the Clerk of Court for Charleston County General Sessions on November 20, 2017 along with proof of service upon the 9th Circuit Solicitor's Office.

I have also enclosed a Motion to Proceed without costs in the Appellate Court on behalf of Mr. Young.

Thirdly, I have enclosed a Request for Representation on Appeal. By copy of this letter, I am forwarding these documents to the South Carolina Commission of Appellate Defense, as well as to the Clerk of Court, Charleston County Court of Common Pleas and all parties of record.

Finally, I have requested a copy of the transcript in this matter and have enclosed for filing a copy of my letter to court reporter, in that regard. Should you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to call me.

Very truly yours,


James W. Smiley IV

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