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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

APPEAL FROM THE SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

J. Derham Cole, Circuit Court Judge

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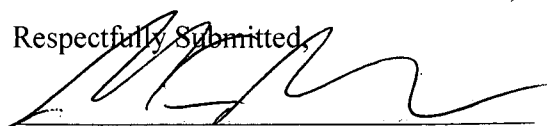
Townsend O'Neal Dawkins.....Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Townsend O'Neal Dawkins appeals his conviction and sentence in this case. The sentence was imposed by the Honorable J. Derham Cole on November 28, 2017. The Appellant pled under N.C. vs. Alford (400US 25, 91S. Ct. 160, US Supreme Court, 1970) to Assault and Battery High and Aggravated, Possession of a Gun during the Commission of a Violent Crime, Malicious Injury to Jail Property, Assault and Battery 3rd Degree. Appellant received a sentence of ten (10) years on the ABHAN, concurrent, five (5) years on the Possession of a Gun during the Commission of a Violent Crime, concurrent, 30 days on the Assault and Battery High and Aggravated and Three (3) years on the Malicious Injury to Jail Property, concurrent.

December 8, 2017

Respectfully Submitted,



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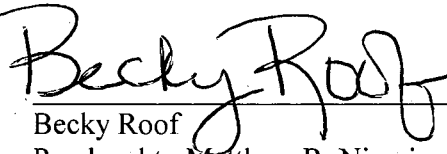
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Becky Roof, certify that I have today served the within Notice of Appeal upon the Respondent by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to its attorney of record, Matthew Shelton, Assistant Solicitor, 1675 York Highway, York, S.C. 29745. I further certify that all parties required by Rule to be served, including David Hamilton, Clerk of Court, Post Office Box 649, York, SC 29745, South Carolina Court of Appeals, Post Office 11629, Columbia, SC 29211; and The Honorable J. Derham Cole, P.O. Box 1744, Spartanburg, SC 29304, have been served this 8th day of December 2017.



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RE: The State of South Carolina vs. Townsend O'Neal Dawkins

Dear Sir/Madame:

Enclosed please find one original and one copy of the Notice of Appeal on the above referenced case. Please return a clocked copy to our office in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

Please call the telephone number listed above if you have any questions or concerns regarding the contents of this letter. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



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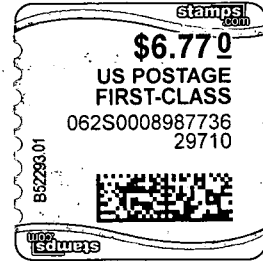
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