

The Supreme Court of South Carolina

Raphael Alexander Wooden, Petitioner,

v.

State of South Carolina, Respondent.

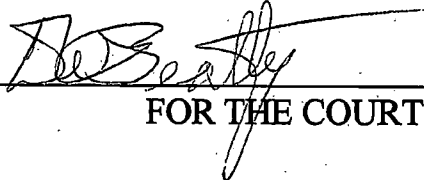
Appellate Case No. 2017-000001

ORDER

Counsel has submitted a petition pursuant to *Johnson v. State*, 294 S.C. 310, 364 S.E.2d 201 (1988), and a motion to be relieved as counsel. We deny the motion to be relieved as counsel and direct the parties to address the following question:

Did the post-conviction relief judge err in finding defense counsel did not give petitioner erroneous advice regarding parole eligibility that induced petitioner's guilty plea?

Petitioner shall serve and file a petition on this question within thirty (30) days of the date of this order. Thereafter, respondent shall have thirty (30) days to serve and file its return.



FOR THE COURT C.J.

Columbia, South Carolina

January 3, 2018

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