

The South Carolina Court of Appeals

The State, Respondent,

v.

Mark L. Blake, Jr., Appellant.

Appellate Case No. 2018-000009

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ORDER

After consideration of Appellant's filings, this appeal is dismissed because Appellant failed to timely serve his notice of appeal. *See* Rule 263(b), SCACR ("The time prescribed by these Rules for performing any act except the time for serving the notice of appeal under Rules 203 and 243 may be extended . . ."); *Mears v. Mears*, 287 S.C. 168, 337 S.E.2d 206 (1985) (explaining the notice of appeal is a jurisdictional requirement, and the appellate courts have no authority to extend the time in which the notice of intent to appeal must be served).¹


FOR THE COURT

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¹ We further note it does not appear that a sentence has been imposed in this case. *See State v. Miller*, 289 S.C. 426, 346 S.E.2d 705 (1986) (providing a criminal defendant may not appeal until sentence is imposed).



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