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CITED OR RELIED ON AS PRECEDENT IN ANY PROCEEDING  
EXCEPT AS PROVIDED BY RULE 268(d)(2), SCACR.**

**THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In The Court of Appeals**

In the Matter of the Care and Treatment of Melvin Beam,  
Appellant.

Appellate Case No. 2016-002290

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Appeal From Union County  
R. Scott Sprouse, Circuit Court Judge

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**APPEAL DISMISSED**

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Melvin Beam, pro se, for Appellant.

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**PER CURIAM:** Dismissed after consideration of Appellant's pro se brief and review pursuant to *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738 (1967), and *In re McCoy*, 360 S.C. 425, 602 S.E.2d 58 (2004). Counsel's motion to be relieved is granted.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> We decide this case without oral argument pursuant to Rule 215, SCACR.

**APPEAL DISMISSED.**

**SHORT, THOMAS, and HILL, JJ., concur.**