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The Honorable Lynn W. Lancaster  
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## REMITTITUR

Re: The State v. James Brian Cooper  
Lower Court Warrant Nos. 2017A3010101122  
Appellate Case No. 2018-001070

Dear Clerk of Court:

The above referenced matter is hereby remitted to the lower court or tribunal. A copy of the judgment of this Court is enclosed.

Very truly yours,

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cc:

Mr. James Brian Cooper

Tristan Michael Shaffer, Esquire

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# The Supreme Court of South Carolina

The State, Respondent,

v.

James Brian Cooper, Appellant.

Appellate Case No. 2018-001070

Warrant Nos. 2017A3010101122

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## ORDER

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In this criminal case, appellant has filed a *pro se* notice of appeal from an order relating to pretrial bail. Since a criminal defendant cannot appeal until sentenced,<sup>1</sup> the notice of appeal is dismissed without prejudice. The remittitur will be sent as provided by Rule 221 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules.

  
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C.J.  
FOR THE COURT

Columbia, South Carolina  
June 12, 2018

cc: Office of the Attorney General  
Solicitor, Eighth Judicial Circuit  
Tristan Michael Shaffer, Esquire  
Mr. James Brian Cooper

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<sup>1</sup> *State v. Rearick*, 417 S.C. 391, 790 S.E.2d 192 (2016); *State v. Miller*, 289 S.C. 426, 346 S.E.2d 705 (1986); *Parsons v. State*, 289 S.C. 542, 347 S.E.2d 504 (1986) (order denying bail pending trial).