

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )  
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COUNTY OF HORRY )  
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IN THE MATTER OF THE CARE )  
AND TREATMENT OF )  
OTIS ALFORD, )  
RESPONDENT. )

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

CASE NO. 2017-CP-26-2862

ORDER OF COMMITMENT

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The trial of this case was held in the Horry County Court of Common Pleas the week of August \_\_\_\_, 2018. A jury of citizens from Horry County heard this case pursuant to a request for a jury trial filed by the State. Assistant Attorney General Christopher A. Morrow represented the State and James K. Falk Esquire, represented the Respondent. The jury having heard the presentation of the evidence made the following findings of fact pursuant to S. C. Code Ann. Sections 44-48-90 and 44-48-100:


The State has proven beyond a reasonable doubt that Respondent, Otis Alford, is a sexually violent predator as that term is defined in S. C. Code Ann. Section 44-48-30.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

(a) Respondent Otis Alford is committed to the Department of Mental Health for his long-term control, care and treatment;

(b) Respondent Otis Alford is to continue to be detained at the Horry County Detention Center, and then transported to the secure facility of the South Carolina Department of Mental Health. The Detention Center is to transport Respondent on such scheduled date as it coordinates with the Department of Mental Health.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED.

  
PRESIDING JUDGE  
Fifteenth Judicial Circuit  
Court of Common Pleas

August 7, 2018  
Horry, South Carolina

RENEE H. ELVIS  
CLERK OF COURT  
HORRY COUNTY, SC

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