

The South Carolina Court of Appeals

Shannon M. Lancaster, Plaintiff,

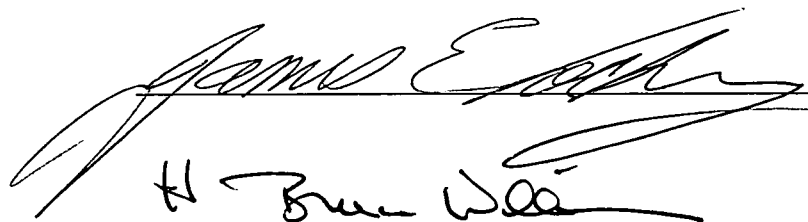

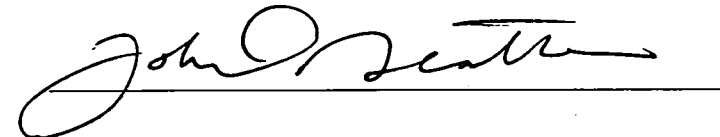
v.

The State of South Carolina, Defendant.

Appellate Case No. 2018-001390

ORDER

Shannon M. Lancaster has filed a suppression motion pursuant to the South Carolina Homeland Security Act (the Act)¹ following this court's disposition of his appeal of a criminal conviction. Because motions to suppress are not appropriate on appeal, the motion is denied. *See State v. Scott*, 351 S.C. 584, 588, 571 S.E.2d 700, 702 (2002) ("The cardinal rule of statutory construction is a court must ascertain and give effect to the intent of the legislature."); *State v. Tisdale*, 321 S.C. 153, 157, 467 S.E.2d 270, 271 (Ct. App. 1996) ("A statute as a whole must receive a practical, reasonable, and fair interpretation consonant with the purpose, design, and policy of the lawmakers."); *id.* at 157, 467 S.E.2d at 271-72 ("[A] court must avoid construing a statute so as to lead to an absurd result.").

 C.J.
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¹ S.C. Code Ann. § 17-30-10 to -145 (2014).

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