

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAL  
THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS  
FROM AIKEN COUNTY

January 10, 2018

Indictment # 2018GS0200442, 443

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA -- Respondent

VS.

Rakim A. Barton -- Appellant

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Rakim A. Barton pled guilty on January 7, 2019 and was convicted of Voluntary manslaughter, and strong-arm robbery and sentenced on January 7, 2018 before the Honorable Clifton Newman in Aiken, South Carolina. He appeals his conviction and sentence.

*David Hayes by [Signature]*  
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Rebecca Halupa, do hereby certify that I have this day served the original of Appellant's Notice to Appeal upon the South Carolina Court of Appeals, and copies of Appellant's Notice of Intent to Appeal to the Clerk of Court of Aiken County and to Ashley Hammack, Assistant Solicitor, Second Judicial Circuit by placing same in the United States Mail properly addressed and with correct postage affixed thereto:

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Dated this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January 2019



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RE: NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAL  
Rakim A. Barton  
2018GS0200442  
2018GS0200443

Dear Mrs. Fox:

Please find enclosed copies of Notice of Intent to Appeal, Indictment 2018GS0200442, 443, Arrest Warrants, Sentence Sheets, defendant's affidavit of indigency and the Rule 203 (B) Explanation.

Rakim A. Barton pled guilty on January 7, 2018 and was convicted of Voluntary manslaughter, and strong-arm robbery. He was sentenced on January 7, 2018 before the Honorable Clifton Newman, Ms. Brenda W. Sigwald served as the Court Reporter.

I am available to discuss this case if you so desire.

Sincerely,

*David Hayes by Boyd Taylor II*

David Hayes  
Assistant Public Defender

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Enclosure

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