

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM SPARTANBURG COUNTY
Court of General Sessions

The Honorable J. Mark Hayes, II, Circuit Court Judge

Case No(s): 2019GS4200150


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The State Respondent,
v.
Christopher Lachele Pilgrim Appellant.
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Christopher Lachele Pilgrim appeals his conviction and sentence in this case. The sentence was imposed by by the Honorable J. Mark Hayes, II on April 22, 2019. This appeal is taken from this conviction and sentence.

May 1, 2019


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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal on the State of South Carolina by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on May 1, 2019, addressed to its attorney of record, Ms. Wendy Hallford, Esq., Assistant Solicitor, 180 Magnolia Street, Spartanburg, South Carolina 29306.

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EXPLANATION OF APPEAL PURSUANT TO RULE 203(d)(1)(B), SCACR

Pursuant to Rule 203(d)(1)(B), SCACR, Christopher Lachele Pilgrim files this explanation of his appeal of his guilty plea, conviction and sentence in this case. The sentence was imposed by the Honorable J. Mark Hayes, II on April 22, 2019. No issues were raised during the guilty plea; however, the client insisted upon an appeal; therefore, this appeal was filed pursuant to Weathers v. State, 319 S.C. 59, 459 S.E.2d 838 (1995), and State v. Thrift, 378 S.C. 70, 661 S.E.2d 373 (2008).

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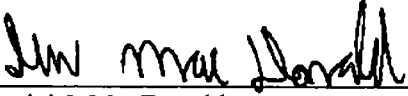
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May 1, 2019

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RE: State v. Christopher Lachele Pilgrim
Case No.: 2019GS4200150

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Dear Ms. Cox:

Enclosed for filing is the Notice of Appeal in the above case.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dan Macdonald".

Daniel J. Macdonald

Enclosure

cc: Wendy Hallford, Esq.
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Re: The State v. Christopher L. Pilgrim
Appellate Case No. 2019-000739

Dear Counsel:

Upon reviewing your notice of appeal, the following deficiency or deficiencies have been noted under the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR), and any deficiency must be corrected within ten (10) days of the date of this letter, or this appeal will be dismissed:

- A proof of service has not been provided to show the notice of appeal was filed with the Trial Court Clerk

Very truly yours,

V. Claire Allen, Deputy

CLERK

cc: Alan McCrory Wilson, Esquire
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RE: State v. Christopher Lachele Pilgrim
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Dear Ms Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing are clocked copies of the Notice of Appeal, Proof of Service of the Notice of Appeal on the Respondent, the Explanation of Appeal and Proof of Service, and a copy of the letter that was filed with the Trial Court Clerk.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dan Macdonald".
Daniel J. Macdonald

Enclosures.

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