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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

SC Court of Appeals

VS.

TURKEESHA MINNIFIELD #330870
APPEAL CASE NO. 2020GSS260D314

RE: BASIS FOR APPEAL

As requested, I Turkeesha C. Minnifield is writing to you the arguable basis that have been preserved for appeal in my case.

On December 10, 2019 I requested a preliminary hearing on A/W #: 2019A26107007 Pursuant to South Carolina Rules of Criminal Procedure

I. Pretrial Matters

Rule 2. PRELIMINARY HEARINGS

(a) Notice of Right.

(b) Time for Hearing

If the defendant requests a preliminary hearing, the hearing shall be held within ten days following the request. The hearing shall not be held, however, if the defendant is indicted by a grand jury or waives indictment before the preliminary hearing is held. The defendant may appear by counsel or in person or both.

Probable Cause was not found by the magistrate because no such hearing was held to determine.

I sent numerous request to have a preliminary hearing for charge, I also wrote to magistrate that set bond on charge, as well as the judge whom signed the arrest warrant.

I was never indicted on this charge, however when I appeared in General Sessions court on January 14, 2020 I was tried on all charges, receiving an enhancement as well.

I feel as though since I've requested a preliminary hearing on A/W #2019A26 10700717 and I was refused to my right for such hearing, this charge should be dismissed.

I was never indicted either, until I appeared in court on January 14, 2020 on other charges.

I have been deprived of my rights.

Thank you for your time and consideration regarding this matter.

Respectfully

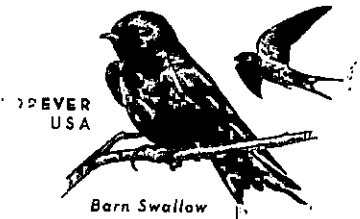
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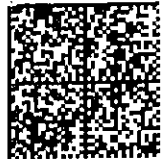
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