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In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM HORRY COUNTY
Court of General Sessions

STEVEN H. JOHN, Circuit Court Judge

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Case No. 2020GS2603020

The State,

Respondent,

v.

Nicholas Daniel Benson

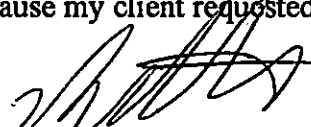
Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Nicholas Daniel Benson appeals his conviction and sentence in this case. The sentence was imposed by The Honorable Steven H. John on July 21, 2020. A copy of the applicable sentencing sheets are attached hereto.

Grounds for this appeal of guilty plea pursuant Rule 203(d)(1)(B)(iv) of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules is as follows: As an officer of the Court, I am not aware of an appellate issue preserved for appeal. I file this Notice of Appeal because my client requested such.

July 30, 2020



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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify I have served the Notice of Appeal upon Respondent by depositing a copy of same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on today's date addressed to Respondent's counsel of record:

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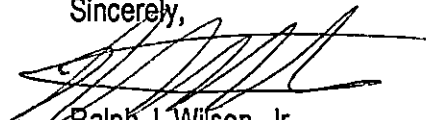
Dear Madame Clerk:

Please find enclosed for filing the following:

- 1) Notice of Appeal with written explanation;
- 2) Proof of service of the Notice of Appeal upon the Respondent;
- 3) Copies of the Sentencing Sheets which is to be challenged on appeal; and
- 4) A copy of the Order Appointing Counsel illustrating Appellant's indigency status and my appointment as counsel in the lower court proceedings .

By copy of this letter and enclosures to the Office of Appellate Defense I am advising said office of this appeal and the need for appointment of appellate counsel.

Sincerely,


Ralph J. Wilson, Jr.

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Encl.: as stated

cc: Lauree Richardson, Senior Assistant Solicitor
Office of Appellate Defense
Nicholas Daniel Benson, Appellant
Clerk of Court of Horry County

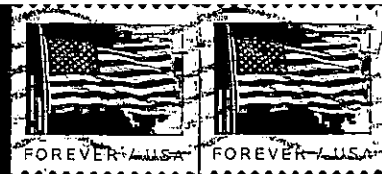
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