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In the Supreme Court

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**S.C. SUPREME COURT**

APPEAL FROM Horry COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas

William H. Seals, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

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Case No. 2017-CP-26-02564

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Marcus Dwain Wright,

Appellant,

v.

State of South Carolina,

Respondent.

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I hereby certify that I have served the Appellant's Motion to Hold Case in Abeyance by depositing a copy of the same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the following persons on this 26<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020:

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I hereby certify that I have filed the same with the Clerk of the South Carolina Supreme Court, The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse, through the Court's e-filing system.

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