

The Supreme Court of South Carolina

Shakeia Butler, Petitioner,

v.

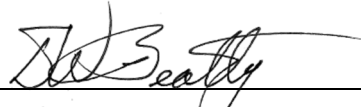
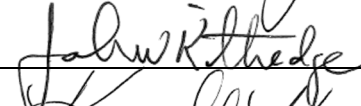
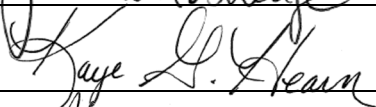


State of South Carolina, Respondent.

Appellate Case No. 2020-000365

ORDER

Petitioner's application for post-conviction relief (PCR) was denied in a one-page form order that does not comply with the requirements of section 17-27-80 of the South Carolina Code Ann. (2014) that a PCR court "make specific findings of fact, and state expressly its conclusions of law, relating to each issue presented." Petitioner has filed a notice of appeal and asks this Court vacate the PCR court's order and grant her a new PCR hearing. The State opposes the motion.

Because the PCR court's order is insufficient for appellate review and fails to meet the standard set forth in section 17-27-80, we vacate the order and remand the matter to the circuit court for a new PCR hearing. *See McCray v. State*, 305 S.C. 329, 330, 408 S.E.2d 241, 241 (1991) (reversing an insufficient order and remanding for a new PCR hearing).

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Columbia, South Carolina
February 5, 2021

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