

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In the Court of Appeals

---

**RECEIVED**  
**Feb 10 2021**  
SC Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM ORANGEBURG COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas

---

Maite Murphy, Circuit Court Judge

---

Appellate Case No. 2020-000405

Case No. 2019-CP-38-00655

---

Jacquita Funchess.....Appellant

Glenfield Apartments.....Respondent

**LETTER TO THE COURT**

Dear Judge Murphy:

My name is Jacquita Funchess, and I was the victim of a crime at the Glenfield Apartments in Orangeburg, SC. Due to this crime, the apartment complex has filed a motion to have me evicted from the premises.

On (date), there was an altercation at the apartment complex that involved my former boyfriend trespassing and physically assaulting me. This attack came after a restraining order had been issued. He ignored the restraining order, came on the property, and physically harmed me. The police were called, and he was escorted from the premises; however, the incident had negative consequences for me. Glenfield Apartments wants to evict me.

I am a victim. I am a single parent. We are in the middle of a pandemic, and I am being asked to vacate my home because of the actions of someone else. I did not instigate the altercation, and I am extremely disappointed that Glenfield does not view me as the innocent party. I am also not a lawyer and am being held to those standards without benefit of council.

Due to these facts, I am asking for the mercy of the court to allow me to remain in my apartment. It is not the time for me to be looking for another home for my family. The cost to secure another place of residence would be more than I can afford since I am on a limited income.

Judge Murphy, I hope that you will give heartfelt consideration to my request and consideration that if I must vacate Glenfield Apartments, my children and I will be homeless.

Sincerely yours,

Jacquita Funchess