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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM A FINAL ORDER IMPOSED BY THE
COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS**

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

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APPEAL FROM HORRY COUNTY
Court of General Sessions

SC Court of Appeals

Steven H. John, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2019-GS-26-4928 et al.

The State,

Respondent,

v.

Derrick J. Rivera,

Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Derrick J. Rivera appeals a final order in this case, denying Appellant's Motion for Release under S.C. Court Ann. §17-23-90. The order was signed by the Honorable Steven H. John on March 12, 2021, and written notice received the same day. The order affects Mr. Rivera's Due Process right to liberty, U.S. Const. Amends. 5, 14; S.C. Const. Art. I, § 3, and the violation of this substantial right cannot be remedied by an appeal after final judgment and/or sentence in the case.

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