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In The Court of Appeals

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APPEAL FROM GREENWOOD COUNTY  
Court of General Sessions

Frank Addy, Circuit Court Judge.

Case Nos. 2021GS2400349, 2021GS2400346, 2021GS2400354, and 2021GS2400355

The State,

Respondent,

v.

Daniel Mason Hurt,

Appellant.

**MOTION TO RELIEVE COUNSEL**

TO: ELIZABETH TAYLOR

**NOTICE**

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the attorney for Defendant will move before the presiding Judge of the South Carolina Court of Appeals to be relieved as counsel for Defendant.

**MOTION**

Defendant's counsel, Deborah J. Butcher, asks to be relieved from further representation of Defendant due to the conflict that has arisen between Defendant and her client Daniel Mason Hurt. Defendant Hurt has requested to Appeal his plea in this matter. Defendant Hurt basis his reason for his Appeal on allegations that he was forced, by Deborah J. Butcher, along with the Solicitor, into taking a plea and did not know that he did not have to take a plea. These

allegations of wrongdoing create a conflict such that Deborah J. Butcher can no longer represent Defendant.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I Certify that I served the **Notice of Appeal, Motion to be relieved, and Certificate of Service** on November 3, 2021 on the below listed respondents/ involved parties by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, that the envelopes containing said document were properly addressed, securely wrapped and sealed, and bore the proper postage; and the said envelopes were addressed to the following addresses:

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P.O. Box 11589  
Columbia, S.C. 29211

Greenwood County Clerk of Court  
The Honorable Chastity Copeland  
528 Monument St. Rm #114  
Greenwood, S.C. 29646

South Carolina Court of Appeals  
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I also certify that I have served the same upon the Greenwood County Solicitor's Office and Elizabeth Taylor and the Division of Appellate Defense by electronic mail pursuant to the Order of the Supreme Court at the following email addresses: Elizabeth

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RE: The State v. Daniel Mason Hurt

Dear Elizabeth Taylor, The Honorable Chastity Copeland, The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings,  
and Division of Appellate Defense:

Please find enclosed the **Notice of Appeal**, **Motion to be Relieved**, and the **Certificate of Service** regarding the above-referenced matter.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at 803-432-7599.

Sincerely,



Lakin Mensing  
Paralegal

Encl.:

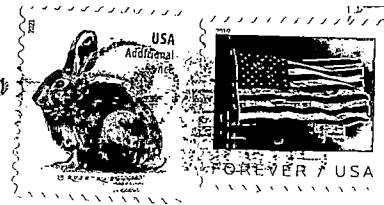
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