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APPEAL FROM LEXINGTON COUNTY

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The Honorable Walton J. McLeod, IV, Circuit Court Judge

Indictment Nos. 2016-GS-32-00492, 2016-GS-32-00493

The State of South Carolina ..... Respondent,

v.

Donovan Tirrell Brannon ..... Appellant.

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAL**

Donovan Tirrell Brannon appeals his conviction and sentence in this matter. The sentence was imposed by the Honorable Walton J. McLeod, IV on November 19, 2021 and the Order Denying Motion for New Trial was signed and filed December 14, 2021. Counsel for Appellant learned of the decision of the Judge Denying the Motion for New Trial on January 4, 2022 when he went to the clerk of court and inquired about the status of the order, having inquired numerous times previously. (See Attached Affidavit).

Neither counsel for Appellant was ever notified that an Order had been done or filed as there was no service by e-mail, U.S. mail, facsimile, or hand delivery,

January 4, 2022

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PROOF OF SERVICE


I certify that on January 4, 2022, I have served the within **Notice of Intent to Appeal** upon the individual(s) named below by placing a copy of same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid and return address clearly indicated to the address(es) below:

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Eleventh Judicial Circuit  
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I further certify that all parties required to be served have been served.

Dated: January 4, 2022

  
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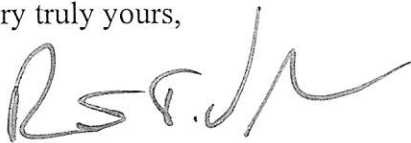
Dear Lisa:

Please find enclosed one original and one copy of the Notice of Intent to Appeal in the case noted above for filing. Please return the clocked copy to my office in the self-addressed, stamped envelope. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With kindest regards, I am

Very truly yours,



Robert T. Williams, Sr.

RTW/gma

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cc: Robert McNair, Asst. Solicitor  
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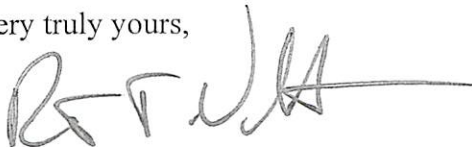
Dear Robert:

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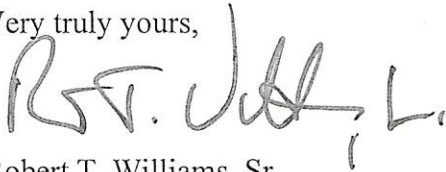
Dear Sutania:

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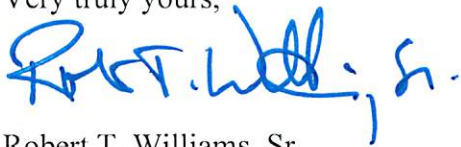
Dear Ms. Kitchings:

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