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**SC Court of Appeals**

IN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In the Court of Appeals

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APPEAL FROM DORCHESTER COUNTY  
Court of General Sessions

The Honorable Diane S. Goodstein, Circuit Court Judge

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Case No. 2021-000569

Muanah A. Fortune, Jr.,

Appellant,

vs.

The State of South Carolina,

Respondent.

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**MOTION TO HOLD IN ABEYANCE**

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Undersigned counsel respectfully asks to hold this case in abeyance pending receipt of the transcript for a pre-trial hearing that counsel ordered from Ms. Denise Lauder on December 21, 2021. Counsel has attached a copy of the transcript order form with this motion. Upon receipt of the transcript, counsel will promptly inform the Court.

Respectfully submitted,

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January 12, 2022.

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Counsel certifies that she has provided a copy of this motion on William Blich of the South Carolina Attorney General's Office via email on this date, January 12, 2022.

/s/ Elizabeth Franklin-Best