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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA In The Court of Appeals

South Carolina Department of Social Services, Respondent,

v.

Talisha Ellis, Steve Moore, Ceylon Burnside, and John Doe, Defendants,

Of whom Talisha Ellis is the Appellant.

In the interest of minors under the age of eighteen.

Appellate Case No. 2018-001302

Appeal From Pickens County Karen S. Roper, Family Court Judge

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AFFIRMED

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PER CURIAM: Talisha Ellis appeals the family court's final order terminating her parental rights to her minor children. *See* S.C. Code Ann. § 63-7-2570 (Supp. 2018). Upon a thorough review of the record and the family court's findings of fact and conclusions of law pursuant to *Ex parte Cauthen*, 291 S.C. 465, 354 S.E.2d 381 (1987), we find no meritorious issues warrant briefing. Accordingly, we affirm the family court's ruling and relieve Ellis's counsel.

AFFIRMED.¹

LOCKEMY, C.J., and SHORT and MCDONALD, JJ., concur.

¹ We decide this case without oral argument pursuant to Rule 215, SCACR.