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## THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA In The Court of Appeals

South Carolina Department of Social Services, Respondent,

v.

April Bailey and Pierre King, Defendants,

Of whom April Bailey is the Appellant.

In the interest of minors under the age of eighteen.

Appellate Case No. 2019-000128

Appeal From Charleston County Jocelyn B. Cate, Family Court Judge

Unpublished Opinion No. 2019-UP-315 Submitted August 14, 2019 – Filed September 4, 2019

#### AFFIRMED

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**PER CURIAM:** April Bailey 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 Bailey's counsel.

# **AFFIRMED.**<sup>1</sup>

## SHORT, THOMAS, and GEATHERS, JJ., concur.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> We decide this case without oral argument pursuant to Rule 215, SCACR.