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

South Carolina Department of Social Services,
Respondent,

v.

Nichole Ann Mack Joyner, Appellant.

In the interest of minors under the age of eighteen.

Appellate Case No. 2019-000187

Appeal From Horry County
Melissa J. Buckhannon, Family Court Judge

Unpublished Opinion No. 2019-UP-367
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AFFIRMED

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PA, of Kingstree, for Respondent.

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Surfside Beach; and Michael Julius Schwartz, of Russell
B. Long, PA, of Myrtle Beach, both for the Guardian ad

Litem.

PER CURIAM: Nichole Ann Mack Joyner appeals the family court's final order terminating her parental rights to her minor children. *See* S.C. Code Ann. § 63-7-2570 (Supp. 2019). 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 Joyner's counsel.

AFFIRMED.¹

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

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