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CITED OR RELIED ON AS PRECEDENT IN ANY PROCEEDING  
EXCEPT AS PROVIDED BY RULE 268(d)(2), SCACR.**

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

Dion Taylor, Appellant,

v.

South Carolina Department of Corrections, Respondent.

Appellate Case No. 2017-001061

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Appeal From The Administrative Law Court  
S. Phillip Lenski, Administrative Law Judge

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**APPEAL DISMISSED**

Dion Taylor, of North Charleston, pro se.

Kensey Collins, of the South Carolina Department of  
Corrections, of Columbia, for Respondent.

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**PER CURIAM:** Dion Taylor appeals the administrative law court's order affirming the Department of Corrections' calculation and application of his credit for time served. After filing the appeal, Taylor submitted a letter to the court indicating he had been released from prison. Because this court cannot provide effectual relief regarding Taylor's credit for time served, we dismiss the appeal as moot. *See Sloan v. Friends of the Hunley, Inc.*, 369 S.C. 20, 25, 630 S.E.2d 474,

477 (2006) ("Generally, this [c]ourt only considers cases presenting a justiciable controversy."); *id.* at 26, 630 S.E.2d at 477 ("A moot case exists whe[n] a judgment rendered by the court will have no practical legal effect upon an existing controversy because an intervening event renders any grant of effectual relief impossible for the reviewing court."); *Curtis v. State*, 345 S.C. 557, 568, 549 S.E.2d 591, 596 (2001) ("[A]n appellate court can take jurisdiction, despite mootness, if the issue raised is capable of repetition but evading review."); *Sloan*, 369 S.C. at 27, 630 S.E.2d at 478 ("However, the action must be one [that] will truly evade review [for the mootness exception to apply].").

**APPEAL DISMISSED.**<sup>1</sup>

**KONDUROS, MCDONALD, and HILL, JJ., concur.**

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