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

South Carolina Department of Social Services,
Respondent,

v.

Jeffrey T. McCue and Radina A. Franks, Defendants,

Of whom Jeffrey T. McCue is the Appellant

and

Radina A. Franks is a Respondent.

In the interest of a minor under the age of eighteen.

Appellate Case No. 2020-000958

Appeal From Charleston County
Alice Anne Richter, Family Court Judge

Unpublished Opinion No. 2021-UP-033
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AFFIRMED

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Tina W. Dixon, of North Charleston, for Respondent Radina A. Franks.

Alwyn Taylor Silver, of Silver Law Firm, LLC, of Georgetown, as Guardian ad Litem for the minor child.

PER CURIAM: Jeffrey T. McCue appeals the family court's final order terminating his parental rights to his minor child. *See* S.C. Code Ann. § 63-7-2570 (Supp. 2020). 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 McCue's counsel.

AFFIRMED.¹

KONDUROS, GEATHERS, and MCDONALD, JJ., concur.

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