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

South Carolina Department of Social Services,
Respondent,

v.

Heather Renae Taylor and David Leon Allred, III,
Defendants,

Of whom Heather Renae Taylor is the Appellant.

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

Appellate Case No. 2020-001655

Appeal From Laurens County
Mindy W. Zimmerman, Family Court Judge

Unpublished Opinion No. 2021-UP-334
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AFFIRMED

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Department of Social Services, of Laurens, for
Respondent.

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PER CURIAM: Heather Renae Taylor appeals the family court's final order terminating her parental rights to her 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 Taylor's counsel.

AFFIRMED.¹

HUFF, THOMAS, and GEATHERS, JJ., concur.

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