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

South Carolina Department of Social Services,  
Respondent,

v.

Kaitlin Elizabeth Courville and Michael Ray Laws,  
Defendants,

Of whom Kaitlin Elizabeth Courville is the Appellant.

In the interest of minors under the age of eighteen.

Appellate Case No. 2015-002212

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Appeal From Horry County  
Tommy B. Edwards, Family Court Judge

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**AFFIRMED**

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**PER CURIAM:** Kaitlin Elizabeth Courville appeals the family court's final order terminating her parental rights to her minor children. *See* S.C. Code Ann. § 63-7-2570 (Supp. 2015). Upon a thorough review of the record and the family court's findings of facts and conclusions of law pursuant to *Ex parte Cauthen*, 291 S.C. 465, 354 S.E.2d 381 (1987), we find no meritorious issues that warrant briefing. Accordingly, we affirm the family court's ruling and relieve Courville's counsel.

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

**HUFF, A.C.J., and KONDUROS and GEATHERS, JJ., concur.**

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