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**THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Supreme Court**

Robert Anthony James, Petitioner,

v.

State of South Carolina, Respondent.

Appellate Case No. 2012-206346

**ON WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE COURT OF
APPEALS**

Appeal From Richland County
Alison Renee Lee, Circuit Court Judge

Memorandum Opinion No. 2012-MO-050
Heard June 20, 2012 – Filed November 21, 2012

DISMISSED AS IMPROVIDENTLY GRANTED

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PER CURIAM: We granted a writ of certiorari to review the decision of the Court of Appeals in James v. State, Op. No. 2011-UP-480 (S.C. Ct. App. filed Oct. 27, 2011). We now dismiss the writ as improvidently granted.

DISMISSED AS IMPROVIDENTLY GRANTED.

TOAL, C.J., BEATTY, KITTREDGE, HEARN, JJ., and Acting Justice James E. Moore, concur.