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

South Carolina Department of Social Services,
Respondent,

v.

Crystal Keith, Michael Robinson, Brandon Justice, and
Kyle Keith, Defendants,

Of whom Brandon Justice is the Appellant.

In the interest of minors under the age of eighteen.

Appellate Case No. 2018-001394

Appeal From Pickens County
Karen S. Roper, Family Court Judge

Unpublished Opinion No. 2019-UP-123
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AFFIRMED

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Union, for Appellant.

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Social Services, of Pickens, for Respondent.

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of Pickens, for Guardian ad Litem.

PER CURIAM: Brandon Justice appeals the family court's final order terminating his parental rights to his minor child. *See* S.C. Code Ann. § 63-7-2570 (Supp. 2018). 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 Justice's counsel.

AFFIRMED.¹

WILLIAMS, GEATHERS, and HILL, JJ., concur.

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