

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
for the  
District of South Carolina

Matthew Major	)	
<i>Plaintiff</i>	)	
v.	)	Civil Action No. 5:16-cv-3605-MGL
Lt. C. Ruth, Mr. Chvala, Warden Richard Cothran and A/W James C. Dean	)	
<i>Defendant</i>	)	

**JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL ACTION**

The court has ordered that (*check one*):

- the plaintiff (*name*) \_\_\_\_\_ recover from the defendant (*name*) \_\_\_\_\_ the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars (\$\_\_\_), which includes prejudgment interest at the rate of \_\_\_ %, plus postjudgment interest at the rate of \_\_\_ %, along with costs.
- the plaintiff recover nothing, the action be dismissed on the merits, and the defendant (*name*) \_\_\_\_\_ recover costs from the plaintiff (*name*) \_\_\_\_\_.
- other: This case is dismissed without prejudice.

This action was (*check one*):

- tried by a jury, the Honorable \_\_\_\_\_ presiding, and the jury has rendered a verdict.
- tried by the Honorable \_\_\_\_\_ presiding, without a jury and the above decision was reached.
- decided by the Honorable Mary Geiger Lewis, United States District Judge. The court adopts the Report and Recommendation of the Honorable Kaymani D. West, United States Magistrate Judge.

Date: January 24, 2017

*CLERK OF COURT*

s/Debbie Stokes

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*Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk*