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CITED OR RELIED ON AS PRECEDENT IN ANY PROCEEDING  
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**THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In The Court of Appeals**

South Carolina Department of Social Services,  
Respondent,

v.

Doris Ann Phillips and Jason John Plumley, Defendants,

Of whom Jason John Plumley is the Appellant.

In the interest of minors under the age of eighteen.

Appellate Case No. 2017-001003

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Appeal From Greenville County  
Alex Kinlaw, Jr., Family Court Judge

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**AFFIRMED**

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Appellant.

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Litem for the minor children.

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**PER CURIAM:** Jason John Plumley appeals the family court's final order terminating his parental rights to his minor children. *See* S.C. Code Ann. § 63-7-2570 (Supp. 2016). 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. Thus, we affirm the family court's ruling and relieve Plumley's counsel.

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

**WILLIAMS, THOMAS, and MCDONALD, JJ., concur.**

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