IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ESCAMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA

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Case No.: 1993-CF-000870-A V. ERIC SCOTT BRANCH, Defendant.

AMENDED NOTICE OF APPEAL*

Defendant, through counsel, takes and enters his appeal to the Florida Supreme Court to review the order of the Circuit Court of the First Judicial Circuit, in and for Escambia County, Florida, dated and docketed July 12, 2017, and docketed on July 12, 2017; and all other rulings, actions, or acts rendered adversely to the Defendant in support of said judgment.

The nature of the order appealed from is the denial of Defendant's Motion for Post-Conviction Relief in the above captioned case. All parties to said cause are hereby notified of the entry of this appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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*Amended to correct the jurisdiction from which the subject Order issued.

PAM CHILDERS CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT & COMPTROLLER ESCAMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA

Certificate of Service

I, Alice Copek, hereby certify that on this 10th day of August, 2017, I served this filing by electronic transmission via the e-portal to Assistant Attorney General Lisa Hopkins and John Molchan, Assistant State Attorney.

/s/ Alice Copek Alice Copek