IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

VS. CRIMINAL NO. 3:23CR39-CWR-LGI

WILLIAM ROBERT SHEPHERD, III

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Notice is hereby given that William Robert Shepherd, III, does hereby appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit this Court's Judgment in a Criminal Case and Sentencing Order which was filed on the 4th day of December, 2024.

Respectfully submitted this the 5th day of December, 2024.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Michael L. Scott, certify that on December 5, 2024, this Notice of Appeal was filed with the Clerk of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi, using the electronic case filing system, which in turn sent an electronic copy of this Notice to all attorneys of record in this case.

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