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IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF NORTH CAROLINA  
No. COA17-6

Filed: 3 October 2017

Wilson County, No. 15 CR 052185

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

v.

BILLIE PRESTON SAULS, Defendant,

and

HERBERT WOODARD, Surety.

Appeal by Wilson County Board of Education from order entered 3 October 2016 by Judge John J. Covolo in District Court, Wilson County. Heard in the Court of Appeals 7 August 2017.

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*No brief for Billie Preston Sauls , Defendant-Appellee.*

*No brief for Herbert Woodard, Surety.*

McGEE, Chief Judge.

*Opinion of the Court*

This case is a companion case to COA17-19, *State v. Knight*, filed contemporaneously with this opinion. *Knight* contains the facts and analysis relevant to this case. For the reasons stated in *Knight*, we vacate and remand the order.

VACATED AND REMANDED.

Judges TYSON and INMAN concur.

Report per Rule 30(e).