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COLUMBIA, S.C. – The S.C. Department of Corrections received an order of execution for Death Row inmate Richard Bernard Moore today.

The order was served on inmate Moore this morning.

Moore's execution date will be Nov. 1, which is set by law for four Fridays from the date the department receives the order.

By law, Moore will be asked to elect his method of execution 14 days before execution day. Methods available are lethal injection, the electric chair and firing squad.

Moore, 59, was sentenced to death in 2001 after being convicted of the 1999 murder, assault with intent to kill and armed robbery of convenience store clerk James Mahoney in Spartanburg County.