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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
South Carolina Court of Appeals
P.O. Box 11629
Columbia, SC 29211


Re: Jane E. Baskin v. William B. Walkup
Appellate Case Numbers 2022-001226 and 2022-001328

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed is two of our firm's checks both in the amount of \$50 representing the filing fees' for the Verified Petition for Review of Order Lifting Automatic Stay that we filed yesterday by email in both appellate cases referenced above.

Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours,



Thornwell F. Sowell

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Enclosures

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY
Probate Court

Amy W. McCulloch, Richland County Probate Judge

Appellate Case No. 2022-001226 and 2022-001328

Case No. 2020-GC-40-00072

Jane E. Baskin,.....Respondent

v.

William B. Walkup,.....Appellant

VERIFIED PETITION FOR REVIEW OF ORDER LIFTING AUTOMATIC STAY

Pursuant to Rule 241 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules, Appellant William B. Walkup (“Walkup”) seeks review of the probate court’s order lifting the automatic stay. On October 7, 2022, the probate court issued an Order Lifting Automatic Stay, allowing Alex Weatherly (the court appointed trustee) to serve as the trustee during the pendency of the appeal. (Copy of the Order Lifting Automatic Stay, dated Oct. 7, 2022 attached hereto as **Exhibit A.**)¹

The trust is a testamentary trust created by Eldridge Baskin, the father of Jane E. Baskin (“Baskin”). Baskin is the sole beneficiary, and she is a 76-year-old woman, and she suffers from

¹ Pursuant to Rule 241(d)(4)(C), SCACR, this order shows that an application for Baskin’s relief of a lift of the automatic stay was made to the lower court. It was improperly granted.

Additionally, the probate court has indicated that it will not require a bond of Mr. Weatherly, but it has not yet issued an order regarding the same. Walkup plans on seeking this Court’s relief with respect to that order as well, and he reserves all rights regarding the same. However, out of an abundance of caution, Walkup is proceeding with this petition without the order on the bond to ensure that the Order Lifting the Automatic Stay is reviewed quickly.