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**THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In the Supreme Court**

**APPEAL FROM THE COURT OF APPEALS**

**Appellate Case No.: 2022-001494**

**Basilides F. Cruz, Joseph A. Floyd, Sr., Arthur C. Gillam, III, Alma C. Hill,  
Barry N. Martin, Charles F. Morris, Sr., and Joseph A. Smith, ..... Petitioners.**

**v.**

**City of Columbia ..... Respondent.**

**and**

**Larry Strickland, Denious L. Dimery and Baily G. McClinton, ..... Petitioners,**

**v.**

**City of Columbia ..... Respondent.**

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