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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
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APPEAL FROM BERKELEY COUNTY  
Master-in-Equity  
The Honorable Dale E. Van Slambrook, Master In Equity

Appellate Case No.: 2022-001611

Steve Cumbee and Palmetto Kitchen & Remodeling, LLC,.....Appellant,

v.

Bernard Milligan,.....Respondent.

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I, J. Jay Hulst, an attorney with the law offices of Williams & Hulst, LLC, do hereby certify, pursuant to Rule 262(c)(3) and Order of the Supreme Court dated May 6, 2022, that on the 21st day of March, 2023, I electronically served the **Brief of Respondent Bernard Milligan** upon counsel for Appellant by electronic mail from my primary account to her currently listed AIS email address as follows:

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Ms. Tong,

Please find attached Respondent's Final Brief. It is being filed today.

Thank you,

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Re: Steve Cumbee and Palmetto Kitchens & Remodeling, LLC v. Bernard Milligan  
Appellate Case No.: 2022-001611

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing is 1 unbound original and 3 bound copies of the Final Brief of Respondent Bernard Milligan with regard to the above cited action. Also enclosed for filing is an original and 2 copies of a Proof of Service.

Please return 2 filed bound copies of the Final Brief of Respondent and a filed copy of the Proof of Service for our records in the self-addressed stamped envelope provided.

Thank you for your assistance.

With kindest regards, I remain

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