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Via Email (ctappfilings@sccourts.org)
The Honorable Jenny Abbot Kitchings
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Re: *Vicki Lynn Vergeldt, et al. v. John Vergeldt*
Appellate Case No.: 2021-000816

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

This letter is submitted on behalf of Appellant John Edward Vergeldt following the issuance of an opinion by the SC Court of Appeals in the advance sheets dated for May 11, 2023. Appellant contends that opinion has relevance and impact in the above-referenced matter, and thus Appellant requests that it be considered as relevant legal authority, even though it was issued after completion of final briefing by the parties in this matter. The citation for that opinion, a copy of which is enclosed with this correspondence, is as follows:

- *Buffalo Creek Investments, Inc. v. Stephen Pettus*, Op. No. 5985 (S.C. Ct. App. filed May 11, 2023) (Howard Adv. Sh. No. 18 at 13)

Please advise if anything beyond this correspondence is required of Appellant in furtherance of this request. With warm personal regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

s/Desa Ballard

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