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VIA E-MAIL ONLY

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk of the S.C. Count of Appeals
1220 Senate Street
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RE: T.D. by and through his guardians, A.D. and J.D. v. Richland County
School District Two
Appellate Case No. 2019-001603

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Our firm represents Respondent Richland School District Two in the above-referenced appeal. Pursuant to Rule 208 (b)(7), SCACR, please allow this correspondence to serve as Respondent's response to Appellants' Supplemental Citations filed on June 15, 2023.

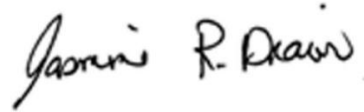
SCACR 208(b)(7), which governs the filing of initial briefs, provides, in relevant part, that "when pertinent and significant authorities come to the attention of a party after his initial brief(s) has been served and filed, the party shall promptly advise the clerk of the appellate court, by letter, with a copy to all counsel, setting forth the citations...."

Appellants' reliance on this rule regarding initial briefs, after final briefs have been filed and oral arguments held, is an improper use of the rule cited. Accordingly, it is Respondent's position that Appellants' supplemental filing should be excluded to the extent it is untimely, inconsistent with the scope and intent of Rule 208(b)(7), or otherwise prejudicial.

We appreciate the Court's consideration of our position.

With kind regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jasmine R. Drain". The signature is written in a cursive style with a small dot above the 'i' in "Drain".

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Enclosure

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In The Court of Appeals**

**APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas**

L. Casey Manning, Circuit Court Judge

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T.D., by and through his guardians, A.D. and J.D..... Appellants

v.

Richland County School District TwoRespondent.

PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served, on June 23, 2023, a copy of Respondent’s Response to Appellants’ Supplemental Citations in accordance with Order of the Supreme Court dated March 20, 2020, amended May 29, 2020, by sending a copy electronically to Attorney D. Michael Mathison at dmichaelmathison@yahoo.com.

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