

# The South Carolina Court of Appeals

Samantha Joanee Carwile, individually and as the  
Personal Representative of the Estate of Marlayna Joan  
Carwile, Respondent,

v.

Chris Anderson and Danielle Anderson, Appellants.

Appellate Case No. 2023-001016

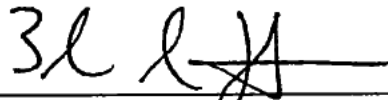
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## ORDER

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Appellants filed this appeal on June 22, 2023. Appellants stated they filed timely post-trial motions on June 2, 2023. Appellants asked this court to hold this appeal in abeyance pending resolution of their post-trial motions. In the alternative, Appellants asked this court to dismiss the appeal without prejudice. Respondent moved to dismiss the appeal due to Appellants' premature filing. In the alternative, Respondent asked this court to hold the appeal in abeyance and remand to allow the Special Referee to rule on the pending post-trial motions.

After careful consideration, we deny Respondent's motion to dismiss. We grant the motion to hold the appeal in abeyance and remand to the Special Referee for the limited purpose of ruling upon the post-trial motions. Appellants shall provide this court with status updates every thirty days. Failure to file status updates may result in dismissal of this appeal.



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FOR THE COURT

Columbia, South Carolina

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