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**Via Email: supctfilings@sccourts.org**

The Honorable Patricia A. Howard  
Clerk of Court  
South Carolina Supreme Court  
1231 Gervais Street  
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Re: Nicholas Thompson v. Bluffton Township Fire District  
Appellate Case No. 2023-000613

Dear Honorable Clerk Howard:

A Petition for Writ of Certiorari was filed with the South Carolina Supreme Court on April 19, 2023. The Appellants hereby inform the Court that the parties mediated the claim and reached an agreement to settle the claim in its entirety. As a result, the Appellants hereby withdraw the Petition for Writ of Certiorari.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your consideration.

With kindest regards,

**WILLSON JONES CARTER & BAXLEY, P.A.**

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