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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM THE CHARLSTON COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

Honorable Jean Toal, Circuit Court Judge

Civil Action No. 2016-CP-10-06683

Jian-Yun (John) Dong, M.D., Ph.D., Appellant

v.

The Medical University of South Carolina, Respondent

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Appellant Jian-Yun (John) Dong, hereby submit this Timely Notice of Appeal of the Order granting Defendant's Motion for Summary Judgement issued on July 17, 2023, and the Order Denying Motion for Reconsideration/Amendment issued on September 22, 2023, by the Honorable Jean Taol.

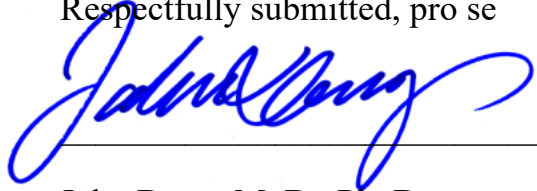
This Notice is **timely** because Appellant was not granted the access to the ECF system of the Court of Common Plea, did not receive the notice of either entry from the court electronically or by the mail. The Appellant only received the notice of the

entries forwarded by the Defendant using USPS mails on **October 5th 2023**, which was mailed on October 3, 2023 (a copy is attached).

Furthermore, Appellant filed a motion for Judicial Recusal due to the appearance of bias, which stays the time. The denial of the motion was entered on October 4th, 2023, and a notice forwarded by the Defendant was received on **October 6, 2023**.

November 3, 2023,

Respectfully submitted, pro se



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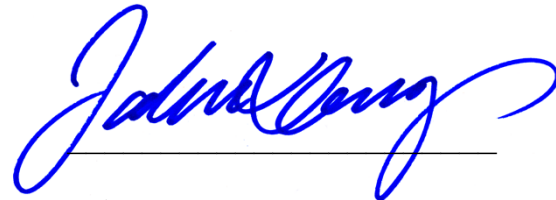
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that I have, on this 10th day of September 2023, served a copy of the Plaintiff's Notice of Appeal that had been served on September 3rd to all parties and the South Carolina Court of Appeals by hand delivery and the United States Mail Services with postage to the Charleston County Court of Common Pleas at the following address:

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