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**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**  
**IN THE COURT OF APPEALS**

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Appeal from Darlington County  
Court of Common Pleas  
Paul M. Burch, Circuit Court Judge  
Patrick J. McLaughlin, Special Referee

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Case No. 2020-CP-16-00299  
Appellate Case No. 2023-001016

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

Respondent,

vs.

Chris Anderson and Danielle Anderson,

Appellants.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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The undersigned certifies that on this **19th** day of **January, 2024**, a copy of the Initial Brief and Designations of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal on behalf of Appellants Chris Anderson and Danielle Anderson was served by emailing a copy to the addresses listed below:

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Enclosed please find the Appellants' Initial Brief and Designation of Matters to Be Included in the Record on Appeal in the above captioned matter. Also enclosed herewith is the Certificate of Service. I am serving all other counsel of record by an emailed copy of this letter.

Kind regards,

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