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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM AIKEN COUNTY
Eugene C. Griffith, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2020-CP-02-2238

Cassiopia Rhoads, Respondent,

v.

Aiken County Sheriff's Office, Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

The Appellant Aiken County Sheriff's Office hereby appeals the judgment entered on March 12, 2024, and the Order Relating Post-Trial Motions filed on March 12, 2024, issued by Circuit Court Judge Eugene C. Griffith, Jr. The Appellant also appeals from all pre-trial rulings, trial rulings, and post-trial rulings issued by Circuit Court Judge Eugene C. Griffith, Jr.

The Appellant filed a Motion to Alter or Amend Order and/or Motion to Reconsider on March 22, 2024. That motion remains pending. The Appellant is not waiving that motion but is filing this Notice of Appeal to ensure that the appeal is deemed timely in the event the pending motion is later construed to be a duplicative motion that does not stay the deadline for filing an appeal.

The Appellant's counsel received written notice of entry of the Order Relating Post-Trial Motions filed March 12, 2024, on that same date.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Section (d)(1) of the Supreme Court's Order Methods of Electronic Filing and Service Under Rule 262 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (As Amended May 6, 2022), the undersigned employee of Lindemann Law Firm, P.A., counsel for the Appellant, does hereby certify that service of the **Notice of Appeal** in the above-captioned matter was made upon all counsel of record by email only this the 11th day of April 2024 as follows:

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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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RE: Cassiopia Rhoads v. Aiken County Sheriff's Office
Civil Action Number: 2020-CP-02-2238
Claim Number: 2020G00077
Our File Number: 333.20304

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Pursuant to Section (b)(2) the Supreme Court's Order Methods of Electronic Filing and Service Under Rule 262 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (As Amended May 6, 2022), please find enclosed for filing the **Notice of Appeal** with regard to the above referenced matter. My firm's check for the \$250.00 filing fee will be mailed to the Court pursuant to Section (c) of the same Supreme Court Order.

By copy of this letter, I am serving copies on all counsel of record by email only pursuant to Section (d)(1) of the same Supreme Court Order. If you have any questions, please advise.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

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