

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

**APPEAL FROM HORRY COUNTY
ALAN D. CLEMMONS, MASTER-IN-EQUITY**

**Appellate Case No. 2023-001419
Lower Court Case No. 2021-CP-26-00144**

United States of America acting through the
Rural Housing Service or successor agency,
United States Department of Agriculture, Appellant

v.

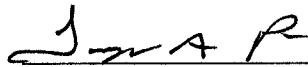
Ginger S. Smith, As Personal Representative
of The Estate of Yvonne Curtis Ingram,
Deceased; Charles Curtis Ingram; Chadwick
Benjamin Ingram, and any other Heirs-at-Law
or Devisees of Yvonne Curtis Ingram,
deceased, their heirs, Personal
Representatives, Administrators, Successors
and Assigns, and all other persons entitled to
claim through them; all unknown persons with
any right, title or interest in the property
subject of this matter; also any persons who
may be in the military service of the United
States of America, being a class designated as
John Doe; and any unknown minors or
persons under a disability being a class
designated as Richard Roe..... Respondents

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I certify that I have served the Final Brief of Appellant United States of America Acting through the Rural Housing Service or Successor Agency, United States Department Of Agriculture by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid on April 24, 2024, addressed to the court appointed guardian *ad litem* for Respondents all unknown persons with any right, title or interest in the property subject of this matter; also any persons who may be in the military service of the United States of America, being a class designated as John Doe; and any unknown minors or persons under a disability being a class designated as Richard Roe, Thomas D. Kilpatrick, Esq., Murphy & Kilpatrick, LLP at 2512 Devine Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29205.

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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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Re: United States of America, et al. v. Ginger S. Smith, et al
Appellate Case No.: 2023-001416
Our File No: 2518.28553/TAP

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

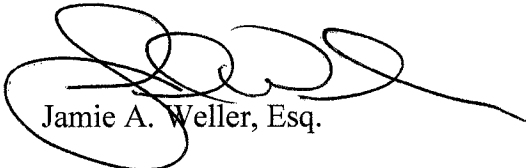
Enclosed for filing please find a copy of Appellant's Final Brief for the above referenced case together with the Certificate of Counsel and Proof of Service for electronic filing. One bound copy of the Appellant's Final Brief is also being submitted by regular mail.

By copy of this letter and as evidenced by the Proof of Service, these filings have been served upon Thomas Kilpatrick, Esq., as the Guardian *ad Litem*.

Thank you for your time and attention in this matter. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our office at the phone number below.

Sincerely,

HARRELL, MARTIN & PEACE, P.A.


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Enclosures

Cc : Thomas Kilpatrick, Esq., Guardian *ad Litem*