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APPEAL FROM THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW COURT

Administrative Law Judge Ralph King Anderson, III

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ALC Case No. 23-ALJ-04-0543-AP  
Appellate Case No. 2024-001372

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FRANK LEACH, JR., # 187447,

APPELLANT,

v.

SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS,

RESPONDENT.

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**MOTION TO DISMISS APPEAL**

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Respondent's Initial Brief and Designation of Matter are due to be served and filed soon. However, this matter settled outside of the court system as of September 20, 2024. The check was requested on September 23, 2024. Therefore, Respondent respectfully requests that this matter be dismissed as moot.

Respectfully submitted,

**SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT  
OF CORRECTIONS**

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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Undersigned counsel hereby certifies that on this date, she mailed a copy of the **Motion to Dismiss Appeal** to Appellant, addressed as follows:

**Frank Leach, Jr., # 187447**  
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The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings  
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**RE: Frank Leach, Jr., # 187447 v. South Carolina Department of Corrections**  
**Appellate Case No. 2024-001372**

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find Respondent's **Motion to Dismiss Appeal** in the above referenced matter, along with **Proof of Service**. A copy of the same is being mailed to Appellant today.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and please do not hesitate to contact me should there be any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

  
Christina Catoe Bigelow  
Deputy General Counsel  
South Carolina Department of Corrections  
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