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**SC Court of Appeals**

IN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In the Court of Appeals

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APPEAL FROM BEAUFORT AND HAMPTON COUNTIES  
Court of General Sessions

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The Honorable Clifford Newman, Circuit Court Judge

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Appellate Case No. 2023-001493

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**STATUS REPORT**

Pursuant to this Court's order of April 15, 2024, counsel respectfully submits this status report. The parties are actively discussing resolution of the issue and a hearing is scheduled for December 18, 2024 if a resolution cannot be reached.

Respectfully submitted,

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December 9, 2024

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

On this date, counsel certifies she served a copy of this status report on Creighton Waters of the SCAG's office at [cwaters@scag.gov](mailto:cwaters@scag.gov) via email.

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