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Via Electronic Mail

The Honorable Patricia Howard, Clerk
The South Carolina Supreme Court
PO Box 11330
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Re: Opternative vs SCBME, et al
Case No. 2016-CP-40-06276
Appellate Case No. 2024-001321
Our File No. 8520-003

Dear Ms. Howard,

As counsel for the Administrative Agency for the Respondent, we are happy to join in with the Initial brief and Designation of Matter filed by the Respondent-Intervenor concerning the above matter, or if the court wishes, we will be happy to file an Initial brief on behalf of the Respondent SC Board of Medical Examiners and the SC Department of Labor Licensing & Regulation. Please advise as to what the court would prefer.

With kind regards, I remain,

Sincerely,

RICHARDSON PLOWDEN & ROBINSON, P.A.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Eugene H. Matthews'.

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