

# The South Carolina Court of Appeals

J. Mereinda Fisher, individually, and as Member of  
Fisher and Reid, LLC, Respondent,

v.

Cynthia J. Glenn, individually, and as Member of Fisher  
and Reid, LLC, and Carolina Birth Center, LLC d/b/a  
Carolina Water Birth, Defendants,

Of whom Cynthia J. Glenn, individually, and as Member  
of Fisher and Reid, LLC is the Appellant.

Appellate Case No. 2024-001914

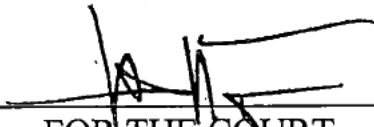
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## ORDER

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Appellant, who is self-represented, has filed a motion to amend the notice of appeal caption to add Carolina Birth Center, LLC and Cynthia Glenn, LLC as Appellants. No attorney licensed to practice in South Carolina has made an appearance on behalf of these corporations. *See Renaissance Enter. v. Summit Teleservices*, 334 S.C. 649, 653, 515 S.E.2d 257, 259 (1999) (“[A] corporation may appear *pro se* only in magistrate's court.”). Further, Carolina Birth Center, LLC and Cynthia Glenn, LLC have not served notices of appeal on Respondent. *See* Rule 263(b), SCACR (“The time prescribed by these Rule for performing any act except the time for serving the notice of appeal under Rules 203 and 243 may be extended . . . .”); *Mears v. Mears*, 287 S.C. 168, 337 S.E.2d 206 (1985) (explaining the notice of appeal is a jurisdictional requirement, and the appellate courts have no authority to extend the time in which the notice of intent to appeal must be served). Accordingly, after careful consideration, we deny Appellant's motion to amend the notice of appeal caption to add Carolina Birth Center LLC and Cynthia Glenn, LLC.

To the extent Appellant asks this court to substitute Cynthia-J: Glenn <sup>TM</sup> for Cynthia J. Glenn in the notice of appeal caption, we deny the request because the order on appeal lists Cynthia J. Glenn as a defendant and there is no indication the naming of Cynthia J. Glenn as a defendant was in error. *See* Rule 265(c), SCACR ("If substitution of a party is desired for any reason other than death or incompetency, substitution shall be by motion to the appellate court.").



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FOR THE COURT

Columbia, South Carolina

**FILED**  
**Dec 17 2024**

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cc:

Cynthia J. Glenn

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