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Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk of Court for the Court of Appeals
Post Office Box 11629
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Re: *The Station, Inc., d/b/a Company Two, Inc. v. Hampton County*
Appellate Case Number: 2021-000685

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Pursuant to Rule 208(b)(7), SCACR, Respondent calls the Court's attention to a recent South Carolina Supreme Court decision, *Cruz v. City of Columbia*, Appellate Case Number 2022-001494, Supreme Court Opinion 28216, Heard April 17, 2024, Decided July 17, 2024. The decision is submitted by Respondent as a supplemental citation, published after final briefs were filed. Respondent cites the decision in support of its argument that there is no right to rely on statements of government employees lacking actual authority to bind the governmental entity, even if such statements are proven, as set forth in "Argument I. Any agreement concerning the use of Hampton County assets requires formal action by Hampton County Council," (pages 5 through 7), and "Argument III. It is manifestly unreasonable to rely on an unofficial representation from an individual regarding permission to use the assets of Hampton County" (pages 16 through 21).

By copy of this letter, Respondent informs Appellant's attorneys of this submission.

I further apologize for the delayed submission of this information. This letter was initially drafted July 19, 2024, and I believed it had been transmitted. I have realized today that it was not.

Sincerely,

Norma A. T. Jett

cc: Kathleen C. Barnes, Esquire (via email)
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