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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM DORCHESTER COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

The Honorable James E. Chellis, Master-In-Equity

Appellate Case No. 2024-002001

Cornerstone Ventures International, LLC,

.....Respondent,

v.

Alvin E. Burch, Sr.,

.....Appellant,

RESPONDENT'S MOTION FOR COSTS

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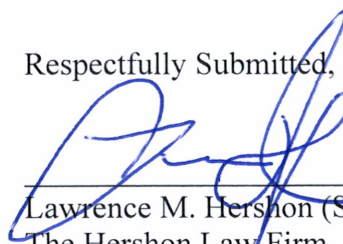
Pursuant to Rule 222, SCACR, Respondent Cornerstone Ventures International, LLC, moves the Court for an order awarding costs against Appellant Alvin E. Burch, Sr. This motion is based on the Court's dismissal of the Appellant's appeal. This Court has not issued the remittitur following the filing of the order of dismissal on January 27, 2025; however, out of an abundance of caution, Respondent is proceeding with its filing of this motion under Rule 222.

Under Rule 222(a), unless otherwise ordered or agreed, "costs shall be taxed against the appellant when the appeal is dismissed or judgment on appeal is affirmed." This Court dismissed the appeal.

The parties did not have an agreement about costs. Therefore, costs shall be taxed against Appellant.

A detailed, sworn, itemized statement of costs is attached. The Respondent requests that this Court award \$2,500.00 pursuant to Rule 222, SCACR.

Respectfully Submitted,



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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that on February 7, 2025, I have served the Respondent's Motion for Costs upon all parties of record via e-mail addressed as follows:

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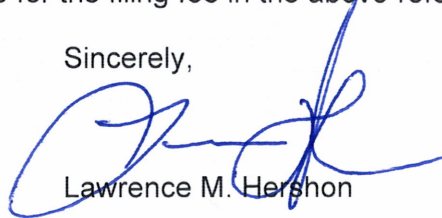
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**Re: *Cornerstone Ventures International, LLC v. Alvin E. Burch, Sr.*
*Appellate Case No. 2024-002001***

Mrs. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find Respondent Cornerstone Ventures International, LLC's Motion for Costs as well as this firm's check for \$50.00 for the filing fee in the above-referenced matter.

Sincerely,



Lawrence M. Hershon

LMH:
Enclosures

cc: Alvin E. Burch, Sr. (via email only)

