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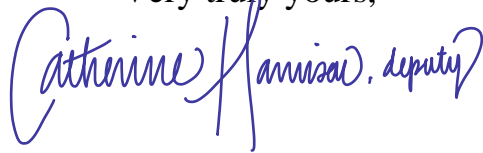
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Re: Jane and John Smith v. SCDSS
Appellate Case No. 2023-001049

Dear Counsel:

Attached is the Court's decision on appellant's motion to unseal. The appellant must file and serve the record on appeal within thirty (30) days of the date of this letter. All final briefs and bound copies, as requested in the Court's letter dated January 17, 2025, are due twenty (20) days after the record on appeal is served and filed.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Catherine Hamisa, deputy". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'C'.

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H.A., by and through her guardians, Jane and John Smith, and Jane and John Smith, individually,
Appellants,

v.

South Carolina Department of Social Services, South Carolina Department of Children's Advocacy, Tammy Gaye Causey Dalsing and Edward Anthony Dalsing,
Respondents.

Appellate Case No. 2023-001049

ORDER

Appellant has filed a motion to unseal to allow Appellant to obtain the documents necessary to complete the record on appeal. However, the motion does not include a common pleas case number nor does it specify what documents Appellant seeks. No return was filed. After careful consideration, Appellant's motion is denied without prejudice. *See e.g.* S.C. Code Ann. § 63-7-2600 (2010) ("All papers and records pertaining to a termination of parental rights are confidential and all court records must be sealed and opened only upon order of the judge for good cause shown.").



FOR THE COURT

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