

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM MARION COUNTY
In the Court of Common Pleas for the Twelfth Judicial Circuit

The Honorable R. Ferrell Cothran, Jr.
The Honorable H. Steven DeBerry, IV

Case No. 2022-CP-33-00362

Demetrice Utley, individually and as Personal
Representative of the Estate of Taylor Danielle Price Plaintiff/Respondent

v.

McLeod Physician Associates II and Charles A. Trant,
M.D. Defendants/Appellants

NOTICE OF APPEAL

The Defendants/Appellants McLeod Physician Associates II and Charles A. Trant, M.D. ("Appellants") hereby appeal from the following Orders, in addition to all pre-trial rulings and trial rulings made during the trial held on November 4-8, 2024:

- (a) Order on Post-Trial Motions entered on February 3, 2025, by the Honorable R. Ferrell Cothran, Jr.;
- (b) Order on Post-Trial Motions entered on February 5, 2025, by the Honorable R. Ferrell Cothran, Jr.;
- (c) Order Denying Motion to Alter or Amend entered on March 3, 2025, by the Honorable R. Ferrell Cothran, Jr.;
- (d) Order Denying Defendants’ Motion to Change Venue entered on September 19, 2024, by the Honorable H. Steven DeBerry, IV; and

(e) Form Order entered on August 26, 2024, by the Honorable H. Steven DeBerry, IV.

The Appellants received written notice of entry of the Order on Post-Trial Motions on February 3, 2025, and the Order Denying Motion to Alter or Amend on March 3, 2025.

This Notice of Appeal is timely served pursuant to Rule 203(c), SCACR

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Section (d)(1) of the Supreme Court’s Order Methods of Electronic Filing and Service Under Rule 262 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (As Amended April 24, 2024), the undersigned employee of Lindemann Law Firm, P.A., counsel for the Appellant McLeod Physician Associates II, does hereby certify that service of the **Notice of Appeal** was made upon all counsel of record by email only this the 5th day of March 2025, as follows:

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Civil Action Number: 2022-CP-33-0362
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Our File Number: 79.20776

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Pursuant to Section (b)(2) of the Supreme Court's Order RE: Methods of Electronic Filing and Service Under Rule 262 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (as Amended April 24, 2024), please find enclosed for filing the **Notice of Appeal** with regard to the above referenced matter. By copy of this letter, I am serving copies on all counsel of record by email only pursuant to Section (d)(1) of the same Supreme Court Order.

My firm's check for the \$250.00 filing fee will be sent to the Court via U.S. Mail. If you have any questions, please advise.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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