

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY
Circuit Court for the Fifth Judicial Circuit

Diane Goodstein, Circuit Court Judge

Appellate Case No. 2024-001940

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SC Court of Appeals

Lisa Wallas, Appellant,

vs.

Richland County Sheriff's Department and Casey Elizabeth Signorino, Respondents,

AND

Lisa Wallas, as Natural Guardian of A.W., Minor Child, Appellant,

vs.

Richland County Sheriff's Department, South Carolina Department of Social Services, Richland County Department of Social Services and Casey Elizabeth Signorino, Defendants, of which Richland County Sheriff's Department and Casey Elizabeth Signorino are the Respondents.

DESIGNATION OF MATTER

1. Order of the Appellate Court dated February 26, 2025;
2. Order of the Appellate Court dated January 27, 2025;
3. Order of Honorable Diane S. Goodstein dated October 21, 2024;
4. Order of Protection for S. Jahue Moore by Honorable Jocelyn Newman dated May 8, 2024;
5. Order for Continuance for of Honorable Jocelyn Newman dated February 22, 2024;
6. Form 4 Judgment in a Civil Case Order for Continuance of Honorable Eugene C. Griffith, Jr., dated January 8, 2024;

7. Form 4 Judgment in a Civil Case Order for Continuance of Honorable George M. McFaddin, Jr., dated October 23, 2023;
8. Summons and Complaint dated March 31, 2021;
9. Amended Summons and Complaint dated April 27, 2021;
10. Answer to Amended Complaint on Behalf of Defendants RCSD and Signorio dated June 28, 2021;
11. Amended Answer to Amend Complaint on Behalf of Defendants RCSD and Signorio dated July 27, 2021;
12. Second Amended Answer to Amended Complaint on Behalf of Defendant's RCSD and Signorio dated July 27, 2021;
13. Motion for Continuance dated February 20, 2024;
14. Correspondence to the Honorable Diane S. Goldstein dated July 29, 2024;
15. Notice of Motion and Motion for Summary Judgment on Behalf of Defendants RCSD and Signorio dated June 13, 2022;
16. Notice of Motion for Summary Judgment dated May 12, 2022;
17. Stipulation of Dismissal dated April 4, 2022;
18. Defendants South Carolina Department of Social Services' and Richland County Department of Social Services Memorandum in Support of its Motion to Dismiss dated January 20, 2022;
19. Notice of Motion to Compel Production dated December 13, 2021;
20. Defendant' South Carolina Department of Social Services' Notice of Motion and Motion to Dismiss dated May 28, 2021;
21. Motion to Withdraw Plaintiff's Motion for Default Judgment dated June 17, 2021.
22. Motion for Default Judgment dated June 11, 2021;
23. Motion for Extension of Time to File Initial Brief and Designation of Matter dated January 24, 2025;
24. Motion for Extension of Time to File Initial Brief and Designation of Matter dated February 25, 2024;
25. Affidavit of Default dated June 11, 2021;
26. Affidavit of Service on Casey Signorio dated May 24, 2021;

27. Affidavit of Service on Richland County Department of Social Services dated May 24, 2021;
28. Affidavit of Service on Richland County Sheriff's Office dated May 24, 2021;
29. Affidavit of Service on South Carolina Department of Social Services dated May 24, 2021;
30. Affidavit of Service on Casey Signorino dated June 11, 2021;
31. Affidavit of Service on Richland County Sheriff's Office dated June 11, 2021;
32. Notice of Appeal dated November 14, 2024;
33. Affidavit of John M. Knotts dated June 28, 2022;
34. Correspondence to Richland County Department of Social Services dated July 11, 2020;
35. Transcript of Record for June 21, 2024;
36. Transcript of Deposition of Casey Elizabeth Signorino dated December 8, 2021;

I certify that this designation contains no matter which is irrelevant to this appeal.

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Diane M. L. Corley, an employee of the Moore Bradley Myers Law Firm, P.A., certify that I have served the Appellant's Initial Brief and Designation of Matter on Respondents via e-mail and by depositing a copy of same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid on April 2, 2025, addressed to Respondents counsel as follows:

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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please find included with this cover letter Appellant's Initial Brief and Designation of Matter with Attorney Certification for filing of the same.

Thank you in advance for your assistance in this matter.

Yours very truly

s/S. Jahue Moore
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