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APPEAL FROM YORK COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

Charles J. McCutchen, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2025-000705

James Stephen Patton, Appellant,
v.
Kera Rose Selzer and Dustin Stephen Selzer, Respondents.

MOTION TO BE RELIEVED OF COUNSEL

COMES NOW the undersigned counsel of record and does hereby move this Court for an Order relieving counsel of record from representation of the Appellant in this matter.

Counsel represented the Appellant in the Magistrate Court and agreed to represent Appellant on the appeal to the Court of Common Pleas. However, counsel and Appellant agreed that counsel would not represent Appellant beyond the Common Pleas' appeal.

When the appeal to the Court of Common Pleas was unsuccessful, Appellant knew counsel would not represent him on the matter, if appealed to the South Carolina Court of Appeals. Appellant indicated he wished to continue pro se with an appeal to this Court. Counsel then met with Appellant, explained to Appellant the appellate process, and provided him with the online Appellate Rules of Court as well as the Forms necessary for the appeal.

Insofar as opposing counsel is included in the service of this motion, counsel has not indicated the substance of the reason(s) for counsel not agreeing to represent the Appellant in this matter.

Therefore, based on the foregoing, below signed counsel respectfully requests to be relieved of counsel for the Appellant in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,
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PROOF OF SERVICE

Appellant, by and through his undersigned attorney, does hereby state that he served a copy of the Notice of Appeal, via both email and U.S. Mail, on the below stated date, by delivering a copy of the same, to the following addresses:

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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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RE: James S. Patton v. Kera R. Selzer and Dustin S. Selzer
2025-000705

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please find enclosed the original Motion to be Relieved of Counsel in the above-referenced matter as well as a Proof of Service on opposing counsel and the Appellant Mr. Patton. I also am sending the filing fee for this motion today via U.S. Mail.

With kindest regards, I remain

Very truly yours,

Leland B. Greeley

Enclosures

cc: James Steven Patton, Creighton Hayes