

In the Supreme Court of South Carolina

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APPEAL FROM ANDERSON COUNTY

S.C. SUPREME COURT

Honorable R. Scott Sprouse, Circuit Court Judge
Appellate Case No. 2021-000733
Supreme Court Case No. 2024-001782
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**In the Matter of the Care and Treatment
of James Lewis Williford,**

Respondent.

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AS AMICUS CURIAE

The American Civil Liberties Union of South Carolina (ACLU-SC) respectfully moves for leave to file the attached Brief of Amicus Curiae in the above-captioned matter. *See* Rule 213, SCACR.

ACLU-SC is a nonpartisan and nonprofit organization that advocates for civil rights and South Carolina. As part of that mission, ACLU-SC is committed to protecting the due process rights of all people in South Carolina.

ACLU-SC has substantial experience litigating civil rights issues. Amicus respectfully believes that the attached brief will aid the Court in its consideration of the issues in this case.

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