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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

APPEAL FROM ABBEVILLE COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas  
The Honorable Daniel B. Hocker, Circuit Court Judge

Appellate Case No. 2024-001444  
Lower Case Nos. 2021-CP-01-00076

William F. Nickles, IV, ,..... Respondent,  
vs.

Howar Equipment, Inc., Sonoco Products Company, Palmetto State Transportation, LLC, KSC Logistics,  
Inc., and John Doe Corporation, defendants, of which KSC Logistics, Inc. .... Defendants

of which KSC Logistics, Inc. is the Appellant.

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