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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

APPEAL FROM HORRY COUNTY
B. ALEX HYMAN, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE
Case No. 2022-CP-26-07404

Department of Transportation South Carolina,.....Respondent,

v.

Myra StarnesAppellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Appellant Myra N. Starnes (hereafter “Appellants”) appeal from the trial court’s (1) Order Denying New Trial that was filed August 19, 2025, which was received by Appellant on August 19, 2025. A copy of the order on appeal is attached hereto and incorporated by reference as required by Rule 203(d)(1)(B)(ii), SCACR.

Respectfully submitted,

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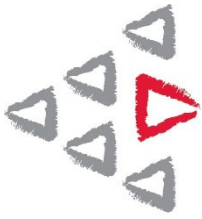
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Re: *Department of Transportation South Carolina v. Myra N. Starnes*
Case No.: 2022-CP-26-07404

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing, please find a Notice of Appeal and Proof of Service for the above-referenced matter. Pursuant to paragraph (3)(c) of the Supreme Court's amended administrative order dated May 6, 2022 ("Methods of Electronic Filing and Service Under Rule 262 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules" originally dated August 25, 2021) a check for the filing fee is being forwarded separately via US mail.

By copy of this letter and as evidenced by the Proof of Service, this filing has been served upon counsel for the Respondent and is being filed with the Trial Court. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our office. With warm personal regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

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