

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

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Appeal from the Administrative Law Court
Deborah B. Durden, Administrative Law Judge
Appellate Case No. 2023-001384

Ronald CEO, # 258464,

Appellant,

v.
South Carolina Department of Corrections, Respondent.

MOTION FOR LEAVE OF
THE COURT TO ACCEPT THE
PETITION FOR REHEARING
AND MOTION TO PROCEED
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The Appellant files this Motion for leave of the Court to accept the Petition for Rehearing and Motion to Proceed in Forma Pauperis pursuant to Rule 260(a) SCACR. The Appellate avers that there is good cause for the granting of the said motion.

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Atty for Respondent

Ronald CEO #258464
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Appellant, Pro Se

STATEMENT OF ISSUE ON THE MOTION

The Appellant avers that his Petition for Rehearing and Motion to Proceed in Forma Pauperis should be considered timely file. Because the Appellant put the said documents into the prison mailroom to be mail on July 15, 2025.

ARGUMENT

The Appellant became aware that the Court denied his appeal and affirm the ALC on July 9, 2025. The Appellant knew the remittitur would be sent fifteen days from the Court's decision. The Appellant exercised due diligence to get his Petition for Rehearing mail to the Court within the timeframe. Please see the enclosed Proof of Service and cover letter to the Clerk and Affidavit with the same attach date July 15, 2025 affix. The Appellant further avers once he put the said documents into the prison mail room he has no control when documents is actually mail. The Respondent SCPC has a standing policy P.S.-10.08 that they reserve the right to hold legal mail for up to 48 hrs for verification. Please see the enclosed envelope that I mail the documents. It was dated Aug 6, 2025 when leaving the prison and was stamped August 14, 2025 when receive in Charleston. Again I initially put documents at the prison mail room on July 15, 2025. Furthermore I receive the

Petition for Rehearing from the clerks office dated Aug 18, 2025 on September 2, 2025. The Appellant want this Court to know that the Respondent mail room operation at MacDougal is causing a host of prisoners to miss court deadlines, for failing to process outgoing/incoming legal mail in a timely fashion.

CONCLUSION

The Appellant prays that once the Court review the enclosed exhibits that it will grant the motion and consider what they deem just.

Respectfully Submitted

Ronald Coe



The South Carolina Court of Appeals

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August 20, 2025

Ronald Ceo, 258464
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Re: Ronald Ceo, #258464 v. SCDC (2)
Appellate Case No. 2023-001384

Dear Mr. Ceo:

The Court has received your correspondences filed August 18, 2025. Our records reflect that remittitur was sent on July 25, 2025, thus ending our Court's jurisdiction over your appeal. Please be advised that you do not currently have an appeal pending in this Court. Therefore, no further action will be taken on your correspondences.

Very truly yours,

Catherine Harrison, deputy
CLERK

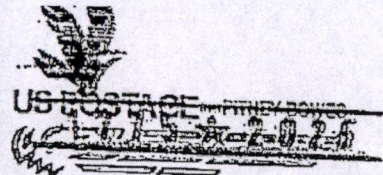
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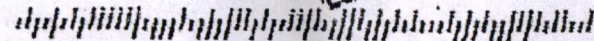
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P.O. Box 11629
Columbia, S.C. 29211

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The date
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Prison mailroom

Envelope that I
Mail Petition for
Rehearing in dated
July 15, 2025
Prison mailroom.

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LEGAL MAIL

RE: 2023-001384
Ceo v. SCDC

July 15, 2025

Dear Mrs. Kitchings,

Please find enclosed a copy of the Petition for Rehearing and Motion to Proceed in Forma Pauperis. I'm requesting that you will file it at your most earliest convenience.

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Thanking you in advance.

Sincerely,
Renaud Ceo

cc: file copy
Joseph R. Shakibanasab
Attorney for the Respondent

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Ronald CEO, #258464,

Appellant,

South Carolina Department of Corrections,

v.

Respondent.

PROOF OF SERVICE

I Ronald CEO, #258464, certify that I have served the Petition for Rehearing and Motion to Proceed in Forma Pauperis and Affidavit in Support of on the below address Attorney for the Respondent. service was made by U.S. mail postage prepaid and addressed as followed this 15 day of July 2025.

July 15, 2025

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MOTION TO PROCEED IN
FORMA PAUPERIS

I Ronald Ceo, hereby apply for leave to proceed in this Petition for rehearing without prepayment of fees or security therefor. In support of my motion I declare under penalty of perjury that the following facts are true:

- 1) I am the Appellant in this action and I believe I am entitled to redress.
- 2) Because of my poverty I am unable to pay the costs of said proceeding or give security thereof.

Affiant said this not.

Ronald Ceo

Affiant

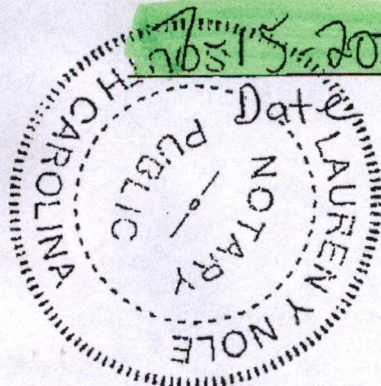
State of: South Carolina

County of: Berkley

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me 10 day of July, 2025

Your Name Here, Notary Public

My Commission Expires 09-12-2031



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PROOF OF SERVICE

I Ronald Coe, # 258464 hereby certify that I have this 8th day of September 2025 mail a copy of the MOTION FOR LEAVE OF COURT TO ACCEPT THE PETITION FOR REHEARING. Service was made by depositing said documents into the prison mailroom, postage prepaid for service by U.S. mail to the below mention and address as followed.

Sept 8, 2025
Date

Ronald Coe
Appellant Prose

S.C. Court of Appeals clerk,
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