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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
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CASE NUMBER: 2023-001318

Rufus Rivers and Merle Rivers, pro se  
Respondents


vs.

James Smith, Jr.  
Petitioner

**PROOF OF SERVICE**

Respondents, hereby certify that a copy of their motion for leave to file Rule 60(b)(4) motion in Circuit Court was served on James Smith, Jr. by emailing his attorney of record Kathleen McDaniel, Esq., at [kmcdaniel@burnetteshutte.law](mailto:kmcdaniel@burnetteshutte.law) and depositing same in the U.S. Mail in an envelope with proper postage affixed, addressed to P.O. Box 1929, Columbia, South Carolina, 29202.

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