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S.C. Court of Appeals
P.O. Box 11629
Columbia, SC 29211

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Reference: Royal Williams, #338068 v. S.C.D.C.
Appellate Case No. 2025-001625 and 25-ALJ-04-0035-AP

Dear Clerk,

I have received your letter dated Sept. 8, 2025 on today Sept. 12, 2025. In which you acknowledge receipt of my previous letter dated Aug. 19, 2025 regarding the notice of appeal pertaining to case numbers 25-ALJ-04-0033-AP and 25-ALJ-04-0035-AP. You also state according to your records, you have received a notice of appeal for order 25-ALJ-04-0033-AP. That if I wish to appeal an order from 25-ALJ-04-0035-AP, that I must file a notice of Appeal. With this there are several issues:

- 1.) I have already served the notice of appeal for order 25-ALJ-04-0035-AP to The Court and All required parties. To the Court, due to the amount of papers included (order, notice of appeal, proof of service; Approx. 20 pages total) the notice of appeal was delivered in the same Manila envelope as the notice of appeal for 25-ALJ-04-0033-AP. So if you received the notice for 25-ALJ-04-0033-AP then you would have received the notice of appeal for 25-ALJ-04-0035-AP, since they were in the same envelope. (see the included SCDC Form 10-14 "debit form" which documents what was sent; this was also included with my Aug. 19, 2025 letter.)
- 2.) The deadline to serve the ~~Initial Briefs~~ Initial Briefs were yesterday, Sept. 11, 2025. (Both Briefs have been timely served to The Court and Respondent)
- 3.) It is my belief there was a simple mistake that the notice of

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appeal for 25-AJ-04-0035-AP was mistaken for a copy of 25-AJ-04-0033-AP and was not filed by the clerk. Due to similarities of paper-work and typical practice of licensed Attorneys providing copies. Please check files.

I will include another notice of appeal for 25-AJ-04-0035-AP. Please Consolidate under 2025-001625 pursuant to Rule 214 "Consolidation" SCACR. Or if not, I would appreciate it if the clerk will apply the Initial Brief for 25-AJ-04-0035-AP to the Corresponding Case No.

I humbly apologize for any inconvenience. However, this oversight is placing me in an unfortunate position. Especially, since the appeal risk being dismissed. Which is no fault of myself, But to an oversight and honest mistake of the clerk's office. Please check the files. Another notice of appeal is attached with this letter.

Please file and return a copy for my records. I also included a similar letter with my Initial Briefs mailed on Sept. 8, 2025. Please send a copy of this letter as well.

Sept. 12, 2025

Respectfully,

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