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Re: Sylvester Jackson v. Charles "Bennie" Smith  
Appellate Case No. 2025-001623

Dear Counsel:

On August 14, 2025, Enoree Fork Baptist Church filed a "Motion for Notice of Appearance and Limited Representation for Non-Party Church Entity," arguing in it was never named as a party in any of the underlying consolidated actions, thus, orders of the circuit court purporting to bind Enoree Fork Baptist Church should be vacated. On August 29, 2025, this court requested a return and reply to the motion and explained it would consider the motion upon receipt of the requested filings.

The court has now received the return and reply. The court will consider the "Motion for Notice of Appearance and Limited Representation for Non-Party Church Entity," return, and reply in conjunction with the court's further consideration of the case.

Very truly yours,

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