

# The South Carolina Court of Appeals

PlanetONE Packaging, LLC, Respondent,

v.

American Pharma Machinery, LLC, and Dorothy Pierce  
a/k/a Dorothy Wells a/k/a Dorothy Aleweny a/k/a Queen  
Dorothy Amolo, Defendants,

Of whom Dorothy Pierce a/k/a Dorothy Wells a/k/a  
Dorothy Aleweny a/k/a Queen Dorothy Amolo is the  
Appellant. AND PlanetONE Packaging, LLC,  
Respondent,

v.

American Pharma Machinery, LLC, and Dorothy Pierce  
a/k/a Dorothy Wells a/k/a Dorothy Aleweny a/k/a Queen  
Dorothy Amolo, Defendants,

Of whom Dorothy Pierce a/k/a Dorothy Wells a/k/a  
Dorothy Aleweny a/k/a Queen Dorothy Amolo is the  
Appellant.

Appellate Case No. 2025-000490

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## ORDER

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Appellant has filed a notice of appeal from a money judgment. On August 11, 2025, Appellant filed a petition for a writ of supersedeas. Appellant asked this court to stay execution of the judgment without requiring a bond or with the requirement of a nominal bond. *See* Rule 241(b)(1), SCACR (explaining that money judgments are not automatically stayed by serving of a notice of appeal); S.C. Code Ann. § 18-9-130(A)(1) (2014) ("A notice of appeal from a judgment directing the payment of money does not stay the execution of the judgment unless

the presiding judge before whom the judgment was obtained grants a stay of execution. If the presiding judge grants a stay of execution and requires a bond or other surety to guarantee the payment of the judgment pending the appeal, the amount of the bond or other surety may not exceed the amount of the judgment . . . ."). Further, Appellant argued extraordinary circumstances make it impracticable for her to seek a supersedeas in the circuit court; thus, she asked this court to exercise its authority to grant her request. Respondent filed a return, opposing Appellant's request for a supersedeas. Thereafter, Appellant filed a reply. After careful consideration of the filings, we deny Appellant's request. *See* Rule 241(d)(1), SCACR ("Except where extraordinary circumstances make it impracticable, an application for an order lifting the automatic stay or for supersedeas must first be made to the lower court or administrative tribunal which entered the order or decision on appeal.").

Appellant also requested this court strike Respondent's return or portions of the return to her motion to stay. Respondent did not file a return to the motion to strike. After careful consideration, we deny Appellant's motion to strike and her request for sanctions.

  
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FOR THE COURT J.

Columbia, South Carolina

**FILED**  
**Dec 30 2025**

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