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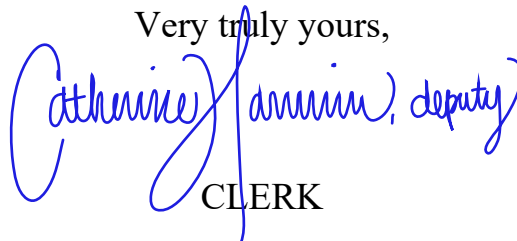
Re: Sonji McKinney v. Drive Automotive Industries of America, Inc.  
Appellate Case No. 2026-000078

Dear Ms. McKinney:

Upon reviewing your notice of appeal, the following deficiencies have been noted under the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR), and any deficiency must be corrected within ten (10) days of the date of this letter or this matter will be dismissed:

- A proof of service has not been provided. You must serve and file a proof of service substantially in the format shown by Form 7 in Appendix C to part II of the SCACR.
- You must provide a proof of service showing that a copy of the notice of appeal has been served on the Worker's Compensation Commission as required by Rule 203(b)(6), SCACR.

Very truly yours,

  
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cc: J. South Lewis, II, Esquire

# TEMPLATE

## FORM 7 PROOF OF SERVICE OF A NOTICE OF APPEAL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In The Court of Appeals  
[In The Supreme Court]

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APPEAL FROM GREENVILLE COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas

George E. Brown, Circuit Court Judge

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Case No. 2000-CP-00-0000

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Stephen L. Doe, as Personal  
Representative of the Estate of  
John B. Doe, Respondent,

v.

Jane C. Roe, Appellant.

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### PROOF OF SERVICE

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I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal on Stephen L. Doe by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on September 15, 2000, addressed to his attorney of record, Mary P. Jones, Post Office Box 456, Greenville, South Carolina 29000 [by personally delivering a copy of it to his attorney of record, Mary P. Jones, at her office at 123 Oak Street, Greenville, South Carolina 29000, on September 15, 2000].

September 15, 2000

s/ John E. Smith  
John E. Smith  
Post Office Box 123  
Greenville, South Carolina 29000  
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Attorney for Appellant

**PART II  
APPENDIX B**

**APPEALS CHART**

This chart shows the major steps in processing an appeal under the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules and is intended to provide an overview of the direct appeal process. It does not give all of the detailed requirements for perfecting an appeal, nor does it show the steps necessary in special situations (cross appeals, multiple appellants, cases requiring no transcript from the court reporter, petitions for writs of certiorari to the Court of Appeals, etc.). Counsel should always consult the text of the Rules.

**Common Plea Timeline**

**Criminal Timeline**

