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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM MARION COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

The Hon. R. Ferrell Cothran, Jr.
The Hon. H. Steven DeBerry, IV

Appellate Case No. 2025-000434

Demetrice Utley, individually and as Personal
Representative of the Estate of Taylor Danielle Price,Respondent,

v.

McLeod Physician Associates II and Charles A. Trant, M.D., Appellants.

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned attorney for Respondent Demetric Utley, individually and as Personal Representative of the Estate of Taylor Danielle Price, do hereby certify that I have served all counsel of record in this action with a true and correct copy of Final Brief of Respondent via electronic mail, pursuant to Supreme Court Order 2024-04-24-01 and a copy of that electronic mail is attached.

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Attached for service upon you is the Final Brief of Respondent in the above matter. The Final Brief and Proof of Service will be filed with the Court of Appeals this afternoon.

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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing with your office are the Final Brief of Respondent and Proof of Service. All counsel of record are being served with same via electronic mail.

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