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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
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APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY  
Honorable R. Ferrell Cothran, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

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Appellate Case No. 2025-000801

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Daniel O'Shields and Roger W. Whitley, a Partnership d/b/a O & W Cars,..... Appellants,

v.

Columbia Automotive Company, LLC d/b/a Midlands Honda,.....Respondent.

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Re: *Daniel O'Shields v. Columbia Automotive*  
Appellate Case No. 2025-000801

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

This firm represents the Respondent in the above-captioned matter. Enclosed for filing, please find the Respondent's Initial Brief and Designation of Matter together with our Proof of Service for the same.

If you have any questions, please give me a call. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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