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In The Supreme Court

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APPEAL FROM SOUTH CAROLINA  
Workers' Compensation Commission

S.C. SUPREME COURT

Appellate Case No. 2024-001975

Troy Hinson, Claimant, . . . . . Appellant,

v.

Merrill Gardens, LLC, Employer, and  
Church Mutual Insurance Company, Carrier, . . . . . Respondents.

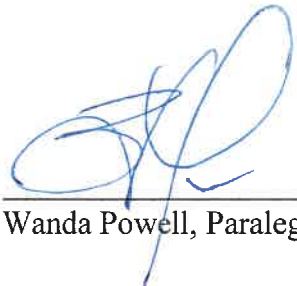
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