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Subject: Re: EMERGENCY PETITION FOR ORIGINAL JX - FILING OF CASE

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Ms. Shealy,

Here is the UPS tracking number: 1Z5F0F001509397617. It should arrive tomorrow morning. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

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On Tue, Mar 31, 2026 at 3:56 PM Brian Smith <bsmith@btsmithlaw.com> wrote:

Dear Ms. Shealy,

Please see attached video of Mr. Evans. If the Court is unable to view this, please let me know, and I will have a hard copy mailed directly to you. Thank you.

On Tue, Mar 31, 2026 at 1:59 PM James Carpenter <james.carpenter@carpenterlawfirm.net> wrote:

Dear Ms. Shealy:

Thank you for your note. I apologize for the mistake. I attach PDF copies of Exhibits A through F, and H and I, in support of the Return to Petition for Original Jurisdiction. I was not able to attach the video, which was Exhibit G.

Respectfully submitted,

Jim Carpenter

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Carpenter", with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

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To the Supreme Court and counsel:

Please see attached link with exhibits to reference in your response to counsel. Good for 60 days

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We attach the response to the petition for original jurisdiction, and its exhibits.

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Importance: High

To the Supreme Court,

Please find attached an Emergency Petition for Original Jurisdiction, Notice of the Petition, an Emergency Complaint, and Proof of Service for filing with this Court. This e-mail filing is made pursuant to "Re: Methods of Electronic Filing and Service Under Rule 262 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (As Amended April 24, 2024) Appellate Case No. 2020-000447," stating that this case may be filed via email (attached).

As the Petition has many exhibits attached, I will provide them in a follow-up email (possibly multiple) in PDF format.

Thank you,

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