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APPEAL FROM THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW COURT

The Honorable Samuel L. Johnson, Administrative Law Judge

Case No. 2025-ALJ-09-0270-CC

South Carolina Department of Insurance,

Respondent,

v.

Joyce Freeman,

Appellant.

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Dear Ms. Kitchings,

Enclosed please find for filing Ms. Freeman's Notice of Appeal in connection with this matter, along with a certificate of service.

The filing fee is being sent to the Court via mail.

With warm regards, I am

Sincerely,

*s/Richard A. Harpootlian*  
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