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Catherine Harrison, Chief Deputy Clerk
South Carolina Court of Appeals
1220 Senate Street
Columbia, SC 29201

**Re: In Re: Haren Construction Co., Inc.
Appellate Case No.: 2026-000914**

Dear Ms. Harrison:

Pursuant to your correspondence dated April 24, 2026, requesting clarification as to who are the respondents in the above-referenced appeal, please be advised that Haren Construction Co. and the South Carolina Department of Natural Resources are Respondents to the appeals filed by Paragon Inc. of South Carolina LLC (Paragon) and the Chief Procurement Officer, State Fiscal Accountability Authority (CPO). The South Carolina Department of Natural Resources (SCDNR) also filed a cross-appeal. Paragon and the CPO are Respondents to the appeal of the SCDNR.

As a result, I believe the following is accurate:

Paragon Inc. of South Carolina LLC, Appellant/Respondent

Chief Procurement Officer, State Fiscal Accountability Authority, Appellant/Respondent

Haren Construction Co., Respondent

South Carolina Department of Natural Resources Respondent/Appellant.

Please let me know if you have any other questions or concerns.

Sincerely,


James M. Griffin

cc: Counsel of Record (Via Electronic Mail)