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IN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
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APPEAL FROM CHARLESTON COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas

Honorable Circuit Court Judge Jessica Ann Salvini

Case No. 2025-001433

Elise Cromwell,

Appellant,

v.

Medical University Hospital Authority and  
Medical University of South Carolina,

Respondents.

**PROOF OF SERVICE OF RESPONDENTS' DESIGNATION OF MATTER TO BE  
INCLUDED IN RECORD ON APPEAL**

Pursuant to Section (d)(1) of the Supreme Court's Order Methods of Electronic Filing and Service Under Rule 262 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (As Amended May 6, 2022), the undersigned counsel for the Respondents Medical University Hospital Authority and Medical University of South Carolina, does hereby certify that service of the **Respondents' Designation of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal** in the above-captioned matter was made upon Appellant by email on this 6<sup>th</sup> day of May 2026 as follows:

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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing is Respondents' Initial Brief and Respondents' Designation of Matter to be Included in Record on Appeal. Also enclosed are the related Proofs of Service.

Sincerely,

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