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

The Honorable Jocelyn Newman, Circuit Court Judge

The Honorable Patrick C. Fant, III, Circuit Court Judge

Appellate Case No. 2025-001957  
Lower Court Case No. 2024-CP-42-01687

Donald Roth,.....Appellant,

v.

The River Bend Sportsman’s Resort, Inc., Riverbend Properties, Inc., Ralph H. Brendle, Paul J. Barnwell, Robert T. Estes, and Paul Lehner,.....Respondents.

PROOF OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have served the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter upon Counsel of Record on this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 2026 by electronic AIS e-mail only as follows:

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**RE: Donald Roth v. The River Bend Sportsman's Resort, Inc., Riverbend Properties, Inc.,  
Ralph H. Brendle, Paul J. Barnwell, Robert T. Estes, and Paul Lehner, (Circuit Court Case  
No. 2024-CP-42-01687) (Appellate Case No. 2025-001957)**

Dear Madam Clerk:

Enclosed please find the Respondent's Initial Brief and Designation of Matter to be included in Record on Appeal along with the Proof of Service for filing with regards to the above referenced matter.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding the enclosed.

Sincerely,

**CASSIDY COATES PRICE, P.A.**

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Rebecca E. Pharr'.

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