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**THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS**

**APPEAL FROM THE GREENVILLE COUNTY COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
THE HONORABLE WILLIAM C. MCMASTER, III
CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE**

**Appellate Case No. 2025-002555
Case No. 2023-CP-23-03724**

Andrew J. Jaeger and SLP Advisory, LLC. Appellants,

v.

WCM Global Wealth, LLC Respondent.

RESPONDENT’S NOTICE OF MOTION AND MOTION TO DISMISS APPEAL

Respondent WCM Global Wealth, LLC, (“Respondent”) respectfully moves the South Carolina Court of Appeals pursuant to Rules 240 and 260 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules to dismiss this appeal because the Appellants have failed to comply with the requirements of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules, specifically Rule 208 thereof. The grounds for this motion are more fully set forth herein.

PROCEDURAL HISTORY

On December 18, 2025, Appellants filed their Notice of Appeal challenging four orders:

- (1) “the order of The Honorable William C. McMaster, III, dated and filed May 1, 2025, granting Respondent’s Motion to Compel ...”;
- (2) “the order of The Honorable William C. McMaster, III, dated and filed June 3, 2025, denying Appellants’ Motion to Alter or Amend the May 1 Order ...”;

(3) “the order of The Honorable William C. McMaster, III, dated and filed September 26, 2025, holding Appellants in contempt of Court ...”; and

(4) “the order of the Honorable William C. McMaster, III, dated and filed December 1, 2025, denying Appellants’ Motion to Alter or Amend the September 26 Order.”

Following the initiation of this appeal, on March 18, 2026, the Court sent a letter to Appellants addressing the fact that they had failed to submit their initial brief, failed to notify the Court that they had not received their transcript, and failed to submit any information that a court reporter was granted an extension. The letter explained that if the Appellants did not respond within ten days of the date of the letter the appeal would be dismissed. On March 23, 2026, Appellants responded to the Court indicating that the transcript had been ordered but not received to date. On May 7, 2026, Appellants filed a letter stating that they had received the transcript but failing to actually state the date on which the transcript was received.¹ Regardless, Appellants admit they received the transcript on or before May 7, 2026.

ARGUMENT

South Carolina Appellate Court Rule 260 states, “[w]henver it appears that an appellant or a petitioner has failed to comply with the requirements of these Rules, the clerk **shall** issue an order of dismissal, which shall have the same force and effect as an order of the appellate court.” Rule 260, SCACR (emphasis added). In addition, South Carolina Appellate Court Rule 208 states, “Upon the failure of the appellant to file and serve his brief within the time prescribed, the clerk of the appellate court **shall** sign an order dismissing the appeal, and the appeal shall not be reinstated except as provided by Rule 260.” Rule 208, SCACR (emphasis added).

¹ Respondent has not been party to any communications with the Court reporter.

The Appellants have failed to comply with the requirements of Rule 208, South Carolina Appellate Court Rules by failing to file their initial brief within thirty days of receiving the transcript. As noted above, the Appellants received the transcript at least by May 7, 2026, but yet, to date, they have not filed an initial brief. More than thirty days have elapsed since the receipt of the transcript, nearly six months since the initiation of this Appeal, over a year since the underlying orders and still no initial brief has been filed.

Respondents respectfully request that this Court dismiss Appellants' appeal because of their failure to comply with the time limitations imposed by the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules. The Rules require dismissal – “the clerk shall issue an order of dismissal which shall have the same force and effect as an order of the appellate court.” Additionally, the Respondents are and will continue to be burdened and prejudiced by Appellants' failure to prosecute this appeal.

This appeal should be dismissed based on the Appellants' failure to comply with the requirements of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules.

CONCLUSION

For the reasons stated herein, the Respondents respectfully request that the Court dismiss this appeal and for such other and further relief as the Court deems just and appropriate.

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Jordan M. Crapps, of Gallivan, White & Boyd, PA, *Attorney for Respondent WCM Global Wealth, LLC*, hereby certify that **Respondent’s Notice of Motion and Motion to Dismiss Appeal** was served on all parties to this appeal on June 9, 2026, via e-mail to their following counsel of record:

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