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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM COMMON PLEAS REGARDING
DECISION OF THE COURT DENYING DUE PROCESS AND LACK OF PERSONAL
AND SUBJECT MATTER JURISDICTION**

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Supreme Court

APPEAL FROM OCONEE COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas
Vernon F. Dunbar, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2025-CP-3701075

Synchrony Bank, Respondent,
v.
Julie Dalen, Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Notice is hereby given that Julie Dalen appeals to the South Carolina Court of Appeals from the Order(s) of the Court of Common Pleas entered in this matter, including but not limited to:

- 1) The Order denying Defendant's Motion to Dismiss for Lack of Personal Jurisdiction based on defective service of process;
- 2) The Order denying Defendant's Motion to Reconsider; and
- 3) Any related rulings determining that service of process was proper and that the Court possessed personal jurisdiction over Defendant.
- 4) Defendant was denied procedural due process and meaningful opportunity to be heard on jurisdictional objections, including subject matter jurisdiction.

- 5) Such other and further errors as may appear upon review of the record.

GROUND FOR APPEAL

This appeal concerns the Circuit Court's rulings on personal jurisdiction and service of process under Rule 4, SCRC, including whether the Court erred in finding valid service and in exercising jurisdiction over Defendant despite disputed and allegedly defective service.

NATURE OF ORDER APPEALED

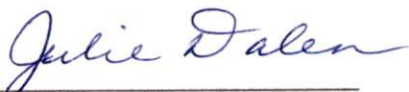
Defendant asserts that the orders appealed from involved a substantial question affecting the merits of the case and the court's authority to proceed, including whether personal and subject matter jurisdiction was properly established.

To the extent necessary, Defendant preserves all arguments that the appealed orders are immediately reviewable under applicable South Carolina law governing interlocutory review of jurisdictional determinations.

DESIGNATION OF COURT

Defendant appeals to the South Carolina Court of Appeals.

Respectfully Submitted,



Julie Dalen, Pro Per
108 Jessie Road
Westminster, SC 29693
(864) 647-4705

DATED this 6th day of June, 2026

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF OCONEE

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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
CIVIL ACTION NO. 2025 CP-3701075

Synchrony Bank

PLAINTIFF

Julie Dalen

DEFENDANT

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
FOR
DEFENDANT'S NOTICE OF APPEAL**

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE FOR DEFENDANT'S NOTICE OF APPEAL

I, Julie Dalen, hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing was sent to Plaintiff by First Class mail, addressed to: Lloyd & McDaniel, PLC at 233 N. Main Street, Suite 7, Greenville, SC 29601.

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To:

Joseph E. Brown and Adam S. Tesh, Attorneys for Plaintiff

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**LETTER TO THE APPELLATE COURT CLERK
FILING THE NOTICE OF APPEAL**

June 6, 2026

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
Post Office Box 11629
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

RE: Julie Dalen, Appellant vs. The State, Respondent
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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing is a Notice of Appeal and one copy in the above case. Please return a stamped copy to me in the enclosed self-addressed, stamped envelope. Also enclosed are the following:

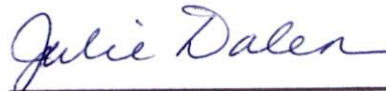
- (1) Proof of service of the Notice of Appeal on the respondent.
- (2) A copy of the order(s) / judgment(s) to be challenged on appeal.
- (3) Letter to court reporter requesting transcript.
- (4) Check for \$250 payable to the Court of Appeals.

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Sincerely,



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Appellant Pro Per

cc: Attorneys for Plaintiff Joseph E. Brown
and Adam S. Tesh
Lloyd & McDaniel, PLC
at 233 N. Main St., Ste. 7, Greenville, SC 29601

Enc: Notice of Appeal
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