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Belinda Bluefort
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Re: Bernard Bluefort v. Jimmie's Tree Service, Inc.
Appellate Case No. 2026-000207

Dear Ms. Bluefort:

Upon reviewing your appellant's initial brief, the following deficiencies have been noted under the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR), and any deficiency must be corrected within ten (10) days of the date of this letter or this matter will be dismissed:

- The caption/title does not comply with Rule 267(a), SCACR. Specifically, the caption must match exactly with the one given below:

**Bernard Bluefort, Deceased, and Belinda Bluefort, Claimant,
Appellants,**

v.

**Jimmie's Tree Service, Inc., Employer, and American Interstate
Insurance Company, Carrier, Respondents.**

- The initial brief is not in the proper format and does not comply with Rule 208, SCACR. Specifically, you must file an amended initial brief containing a table of contents, with page references, and a table of cases (alphabetically

arranged), statutes, and other authorities cited, with references to the pages of the brief where they are cited.

- The document is improperly paginated. Specifically, your initial brief must include page numbers.
- The initial brief has not been signed as required by Rule 267(b), SCACR.
- The initial brief is not accompanied by a designation of matter to be included in the record on appeal. You must file and serve a designation of matter to be included in the record on appeal pursuant to Rule 209, SCACR.
- A proof of service has not been provided. You must serve and file a proof of service substantially in the format shown by Form 7 in Appendix C to part II of the SCACR.

Very truly yours,

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