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Via E-mail

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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SC Court of Appeals
1220 Senate Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

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RE: *Amber Leigh Lovelace, by and through her Conservator, Richard Cooler, Respondent, v. Steven Lovelace, Bank, Cetera Investment Services d/b/a Regions Investment Services, and Christopher Lazurek, Defendants*, of which Regions Bank, Cetera Investment Services d/b/a Regions Investment Services, and Christopher Lazurek are the Appellants.
Appellate Case No. 2024-000869

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please allow this letter to serve as an update on Mr. Lazurek's ongoing bankruptcy in the United States District Court in the Eastern District of Kentucky, London Division ("Bankruptcy Court"). Per the Order dated January 12, 2026, Appellants are to provide this Court with an update every sixty days. As this Court is aware, Respondent provided this Court with an Order from the Bankruptcy Court lifting the mandatory stay as to this action pending with this Court on May 19, 2026.

Consequently, Appellants do not believe future updates on the bankruptcy proceedings are necessary, however, and for the avoidance of doubt, Appellants submit the attached update from Mr. Lazurek's bankruptcy counsel in Kentucky.

Can the Court advise whether future updates are necessary? We look forward to hearing from the Court on this issue.

All counsel of record has been copied to this letter.

Sincerely,

Andrew M. Rawl

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Attachment

cc: Ashley Amundsen, Esq.
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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM BEAUFORT COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

The Honorable Michael G. Nettles, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2023-CP-07-00646
App. Case No: 2024-000869

Amber Leigh Lovelace, by and through her
Conservator Richard Cooler,Respondent,

v.

Steven Lovelace, Regions Bank,
Cetera Investment Services d/b/a Regions Investment
Services, and Christopher Lazurek,Defendants.

Of whom Regions Bank,
Cetera Investment Services d/b/a Regions Investment
Services, and Christopher Lazurek are,Appellants.

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned attorney, of the law offices of Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough
LLP, attorneys for Appellants, do hereby certify that I have served all counsel in this action with
a copy of the pleadings hereinbelow specified, by electronic mail.

Pleadings: July 10, 2026, Andrew Rawl letter regarding status and July 7,
2026 Peace Law letter to Court of Appeals regarding Christopher
and Stacey Lazurek filing of chapter 13 bankruptcy

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Attachments: July Status Update to Court of Appeals - 4898-6791-5964 1.pdf; Status Update South Carolina Appeals Court 7.7.26.pdf

Counsel – Attached and served upon you as counsel for Respondents in the above matter, please see the attached documents that will serve as a status update to the Court regarding the status of Christopher and Stacey Lazurek filing for Chapter 13 bankruptcy as it relates to this case. This will be provided to the Court of Appeals in a few moments.

Please let us know if you have any questions

Warm regards,

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RE: Christopher & Stacey Lazurek Chapter 13 Bankruptcy 26-60015 EDKY

To Whom It May Concern,

Christopher and Stacey Lazurek filed for chapter 13 bankruptcy on January 6, 2026 in the Eastern District of Kentucky. Their Chapter 13 Plan was confirmed on May 15, 2026 [ECF No. 35].

On May 15, 2026 an agreed order [ECF No. 34] was entered in Debtors' bankruptcy case which lifted the automatic stay on the debts associated with the lawsuit taking place before the South Carolina Court of Appeals. With automatic stay having been lifted as to this debt, the South Carolina Court of Appeals is no longer under any impediment from the U.S. Bankruptcy Court which would prevent adjudication on the matter before it relating to the Debtors.

Sincerely,

/s/ Adam P. Sandefer
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Peace Law, PLLC

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