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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Supreme Court

APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY
Daniel M. Coble, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2026-CP-40-05213

Danny Ford, II, Respondent,

v.

South Carolina Republican Party
South Carolina Election Commission
a/k/a State Election Commission.....Appellants.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Appellant South Carolina State Election Commission (“Commission”) appeals from the Order of the Honorable Daniel Coble dated August 4, 2026. Appellant received written notice of this Order on the date it was electronically filed. Pursuant to Rule 203(d)(1)(A)(iv), SCACR, and S.C. Code Ann. § 14-3-330(4), the Commission appeals from the aforementioned order granting a preliminary injunction, which effectively constitutes a final order under the circumstances. A copy of the Order is attached to this Notice of Appeal, and a copy of this Notice of Appeal is simultaneously being filed with the circuit court.

Respectfully submitted,

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