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Dear Clerk:

Pursuant to Rule 262(c)(3), SCACR, attached for filing are the South Carolina State Election Commission's Notice of Appeal, Motion to Stay Injunction Pending Appeal, Petition for a Writ of Supersedeas, Motion for Immediate Administrative Stay, and Motion for Expedited Consideration, being filed in the Supreme Court of South Carolina today, as well as a copy of our email serving this document on opposing counsel, pursuant to paragraph (d)(1) of the Supreme Court's Order.

Should the Court have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact us. Thank you for the Court's time and attention to this matter.

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