

August 17, 2026

Via Electronic Mail (ctappfilings@sccourts.org)

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



Re: Lauren Chambers Tracy v. Elijah Osama Mustafa, Appellate Case No. 2025-000403

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

I write in response to the Court's letter dated August 13, 2026, advising that the above-referenced case may be considered during the December 2026 term of court, with oral arguments to be held on December 7, 8, 9, and 10, 2026.

Undersigned counsel has no conflict with any of the dates listed. However, undersigned counsel is also counsel of record in John Kachmarsky v. David G. Taylor, Appellate Case No. 2025-001384, which the Court has advised may likewise be considered during the December 2026 term. Should both cases be selected for oral argument, undersigned counsel would kindly request that the arguments not be scheduled for the same day and instead be scheduled apart from each other so as to allow him sufficient time to prepare for both arguments.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

s/Jesse Sanchez

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