

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

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APPEAL FROM SPARTANBURG COUNTY  
COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

J. DEHAM COLE SR, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE

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CASE NO. 2026 - CP - 42 - 01716  
APPELLANT CASE NO. 2026 - 001145

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STEVE EMERSON, #89994

APPELLANT,

V.

ROBERT STREHLON, VI, MD,

RESPONDENT,

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BRIEF OF APPELLANT

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STEVE EMERSON #89994  
APPELLANT

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"STATEMENT OF ISSUES ON APPEAL"

I THE APPELLANT STEVE EMERSON #89994  
FILED NOTICE OF APPEAL IN THE MATTER OF BEING  
DENIED ACCESS TO THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS BY  
THE HONORABLE J. DERHAM COLE SR, APRIL 30<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS, WHICH IS MY RIGHTS  
UNDER CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA 1976 ANNOTATED  
WHICH IS (ARTICLE 4. INAPPLICABILITY WERE ACCESS  
TO COURTS CONSTITUTIONALLY REQUIRED)

APPELLANT FILED APPEAL BEING DENIED  
ACCESS TO THE COURTS, WHICH IS HIS RIGHTS.

THE STATUTES OF SOUTH CAROLINA FOR  
INDIGENT INMATES SEE S.C. CODE ANN. §§ 24-27-100,  
24-27-130, 24-27-150, AND 24-27-400

<sup>12)</sup>  
"FACTS"

CODE 1976 § 24-27-400

§ 24-27-400. INDIGENT PERSONS

THIS CHAPTER IS INAPPLICABLE TO ANY CASE IN WHICH THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES OR THE CONSTITUTION OF SOUTH CAROLINA REQUIRES THAT AN INDIGENT PERSON BE ALLOWED ACCESS TO THE COURTS.

THE APPELLANT FILED AND REQUESTED ACCESS TO THE COURT IN FORMA PAUPERIS, AND WAS DENIED, IN ALL ACTUALITY THE APPELLANT'S RIGHTS WERE "VIOLATED"

## "ARGUMENT"<sup>13)</sup>

APPELLANT'S ARGUMENT IS BASED ON NOT HAVING ACCESS TO THE COURTS WHICH WERE DENIED ON APRIL 30<sup>TH</sup>, 2026 IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS BY THE HONORABLE D. DENHAM COLE SR, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, THAT IS THE BASE OF APPELLANT'S APPEAL IN THE COURT OF APPEALS.

IN FACT THE APPELLANT NEVER HAD ACCESS TO THE COURTS, NOIL WAS THERE EVER A HEARING ON THE MATTER.

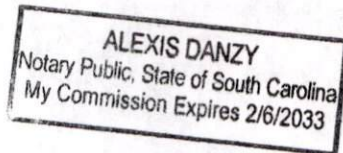
## "CONCLUSION"

THE APPELLANT STEVE EMERSON #89994 REQUEST TO THIS HONORABLE COURT OF APPEALS TO GRANT APPELLANT'S NOTICE OF APPEAL AND TO BE ABLE TO PROCEED WITH ~~HIS~~ COMPLAINT THAT WAS FILED IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS ON APRIL 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2026 IN FORMA PAUPERIS.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,  
Steve Emerson #89994  
APPELLANT

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE  
ME THIS 10<sup>th</sup> OF August 2024

Alexis Danzy  
NOTARY PUBLIC OF SOUTH CAROLINA



MY COMMISSION EXPIRES

Steve Emerson  
STEVE EMERSON (APPELLANT)  
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I STEVE EMERSON #89994 APPELLANT HEREBY  
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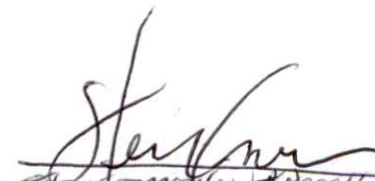
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