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RE: Coleman v. SC Farm Bureau
Civil Case No. 2020-CP-41-00085
Civil Case No. 2020-CP-41-00086

To Whom It May Concern:

We are in receipt of the Court's August 24, 2026, letter from Emily Held concerning the ordering of transcripts.

I am writing to advise the Court that, before we filed and served the notice of appeal, we obtained the transcript of the June 15, 2026, hearing before the Honorable Walton J. McLeod, IV. As a result, we do not need to submit an order for any transcripts in this appeal.

Rule 208(a)(1), S.C.R.A.P., provides that "[w]ithin thirty (30) days after receiving the transcript or, *if no transcript is ordered, within thirty (30) days after serving the notice of appeal*, appellant shall serve one copy of his brief on all parties to the appeal, and file with the clerk of the appellate court one copy of the brief with proof of service." As a result, Appellants' Initial Brief and Designation of Matter for Inclusion in the Record on Appeal are currently due to be served by September 7, 2026.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns. I have copied this correspondence with the Court to counsel of record to their AIS email addresses.

Respectfully,

s/John W. Fletcher
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cc: Paul Tinkler
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