

IN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM BERKELEY COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

The Honorable Charles J. McCutchen, Circuit Court Judge
The Honorable Dale E. Van Slambrook, Circuit Court Judge
Civil Action No. 2025-CP-08-00820

Appellate Case No. 2026-000301

Richard Kenneth Weatherford, Jr., Respondent,

v.

Timothy James Davidson, Defendant, and Progressive Direct Insurance Company, Third Party

of which Progressive Direct Insurance Company is the Appellant.

PROOF OF SERVICE

This is to certify that the undersigned counsel has caused to be served this day the **Final Brief and Final Reply Brief of Appellant Progressive Direct Insurance Company** via electronic mail to the address stated in the Supreme Court Order 2022-05-06-03 and in accordance with Rule 262, SCACR, and additionally via electronic mail to the following counsel of record in this matter as set forth below on the following page:

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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Pursuant to Rules 210 and 211, SCACR and to the South Carolina Court of Appeals' letter dated July 24, 2026, enclosed for filing please find bound copies of: (1) Appellant Progressive Direct Insurance Company's Final Brief; (2) Appellant Progressive Direct Insurance Company's Final Reply Brief; and (3) the Record on Appeal.

Best regards,

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Enclosures

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