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County of: Dorchester

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DORCHESTER COUNTY

Judicial Circuit

Plaintiff(s): Stephanie T. Hameed pro se

Case No: 2026-CP-18-2163

v.

Defendant(s): Edwards Curry
The Curry Law Firm

Civil Action Coversheet

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Docketing Information (Check all that apply)

**If Action is Judgment/Settlement do not complete*

- ☒ Jury Trial demanded in complaint.
- ☐ Non-Jury Trial demanded in complaint.
- ☐ This case is subject to **Arbitration** pursuant to the Court Annexed Alternative Dispute Resolution Rules.
- ☐ This case is subject to **Mediation** pursuant to the Court Annexed Alternative Dispute Resolution Rules.
- ☐ This case is exempt from ADR. (Certificate Attached)

Note: Frivolous civil proceedings may be subject to sanctions pursuant to SCRCP, Rule 11, and the South Carolina Frivolous Civil Proceedings Sanctions Act, S.C. Code Ann. §15-36-10 et. seq.

Submitting
Party Signature:

Stephanie J Hamorel pro se

Date:

7-30-2026



Nature of Action (Check one box below)

Contracts

- ☐ Constructions (100)
- ☐ Debt Collection (110)
- ☐ General (130)
- ☐ Breach of Contract (140)
- ☒ Fraud/Bad Faith (150)
- ☐ Failure to Deliver/Warranty (160)
- ☐ Employment Discrimination (170)
- ☐ Employment (180)
- ☒ Other (199)

Torts- Professional Malpractice

- ☐ Dental Malpractice (200)
- ☐ Legal Malpractice (210)
- ☐ Medical Malpractice (220)
- ☐ Notice of Intent Case No. [Fill in Notice of Intent Case Number]

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- ☐ Notice File. Med Mal (230)
 - ☐ Other (299)

Torts- Personal Injury

- ☐ Conversion (310)
- ☐ Motor Vehicle Accident (320)
- ☐ Premises Liability (330)
- ☐ Products Liability (340)
- ☐ Personal Injury (350)
- ☐ Wrongful Death (360)
- ☐ Assault/Battery (370)
- ☐ Slander/Libel (380)
- ☒ Other (399)

Inmate Petitions

- ☐ PCR (500)
- ☐ Mandamus (520)
- ☐ Habeas Corpus (530)
- ☐ Other (599)

Real Property

- ☐ Claim & Delivery (400)
- ☐ Condemnation (410)
- ☐ Foreclosure (420)
- ☐ Mechanic's Lien (430)
- ☐ Partition (440)
- ☐ Possession (450)
- ☐ Building Code Violation (460)
- ☐ Other (499)

Judgments/Settlements

- ☐ Death Settlement (700)
- ☐ Foreign Judgment (710)
- ☐ Magistrate's Judgment (720)
- ☐ Minor Settlement (730)
- ☐ Transcript Judgment (740)
- ☐ Lis Pendens (750)
- ☐ Transfer of Structured Settlement Application Payment Rights (760)
- ☐ Confession of Judgment (770)
- ☐ Petition for Workers Compensation Settlement Approval (780)
- ☐ Incapacitated Adult Settlement (790)
- ☐ Other (799)



Administrative Law/Relief

- ☐ ReInstate Driver's License (800)
- ☐ Judicial Review (810)
- ☐ Relief (820)
- ☐ Permanent Injunction (830)
- ☐ Forfeiture- Petition (840)
- ☐ Forfeiture- Consent Order (850)
- ☐ Other (899)

Special/Complex/Other

- ☐ Environmental (600)
- ☐ Automobile Arb. (610)
- ☐ Medical (620)
- ☐ Pharmaceuticals (630)
- ☐ Unfair Trade Practices (640)
- ☐ Out of State Depositions (650)
- ☐ Motion to Quash Subpoena in an Out of County Action (660)
- ☐ Pre-Suit Discovery (670)
- ☐ Permanent Restraining Order (680)
- ☐ Interpleader (690)
- ☐ Other (899)

Appeals

- ☐ Arbitration (900)
- ☐ Magistrate- Civil (910)
- ☐ Magistrate- Criminal (920)
- ☐ Municipal (930)
- ☐ Probate Court (940)
- ☐ SCDOT (950)
- ☐ Worker's Comp (960)
- ☐ Zoning Board (970)
- ☐ Public Service Comm. (990)
- ☐ Employment Service Comm. (991)
- ☐ Other (999)

Effective January 1, 2016, Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) is mandatory in all counties, pursuant to Supreme Court Order dated November 12, 2015.

Supreme Court Rules Require the Submission of all Civil Cases to an Alternative Dispute Resolution Process, Unless Otherwise Exempt.

Pursuant to the ADR Rules, you are required to take the following action(s):

1. The parties shall select a neutral and file a "Proof of ADR" form on or by the 210th day of the filing of this action. If the parties have not selected a neutral within 210 days, the Clerk of Court shall then appoint a primary and secondary mediator from the current roster on a rotating basis from among those mediators agreeing to accept cases in the county in which the action has been filed.
2. The initial ADR conference must be held within 300 days after the filing of the action.



3. Pre-suit medical malpractice mediations required by S.C. Code §15-79-125 shall be held not later than 120 days after all defendants are served with the "Notice of Intent to File Suit" or as the court directs.
4. Cases are exempt from ADR under ADR Rule 3(b) upon the following grounds:
 - a. Special proceeding, or actions seeking extraordinary relief such as mandamus, habeas corpus, or prohibition;
 - b. Requests for temporary relief;
 - c. Appeals;
 - d. Post Conviction relief matters;
 - e. Contempt of Court proceedings;
 - f. Forfeiture proceedings brought by governmental entities;
 - g. Mortgage foreclosures; and
 - h. Cases that have been previously subjected to an ADR conference, unless otherwise required by Rule 3 or by statute.
5. Cases may also be exempt from ADR under ADR Rule 3(c) upon motion to and approval by the court.
6. In cases not subject to ADR, the Chief Judge for Administrative Purposes, upon the motion of the court or of any party, may order a case to mediation.
7. Application of a party to be exempt from payment of neutral fees due to indigency should be filed with the Clerk of Court prior to the scheduling of the ADR conference.

Please Note: You must comply with the Supreme Court Rules regarding ADR. Failure to do so may affect your case or may result in sanctions.



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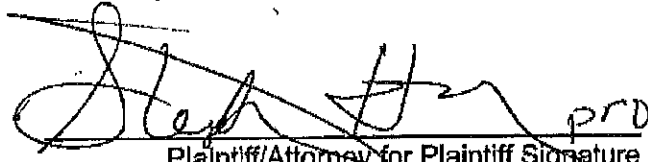
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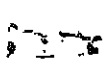
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The Curry Law Firm

Summons

TO THE DEFENDANT ABOVE-NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the complaint herein, a copy of which is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to this complaint upon the subscriber, at the address shown below, within thirty (30) days after service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the complaint, judgment by default will be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.


Plaintiff/Attorney for Plaintiff Signature



Attorney Name Stephanie T. Hameed pro se

Bar Number _____

Firm Name _____

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City, State, Zip Code Brandon, MS, 39847

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St. George, South Carolina
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Dated: 7-30-2026

**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
COUNTY OF DORCHESTER**

Stephanie Hameed
Kyla Thurston
Nya Thurston

Plaintiffs,

Civil Action No. **2026-CP-18-2163**

COMPLAINT
(Professional Negligence and Related Civil
Claims)

v.

Eduardo K. Curry, individually;
Curry Law Firm,

Defendants.

INTRODUCTION

Plaintiffs bring this civil action alleging that Defendants' conduct during the administration and litigation involving the Estate of Kevin A. Thurston caused Plaintiffs to sustain damages. Plaintiffs allege that Defendants made representations, participated in probate proceedings, and took actions or failed to take actions that adversely affected Plaintiffs' asserted rights. The specific factual allegations and causes of action are to be set forth in the sections that follow.

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

This document is the opening section of the complaint. The remaining sections—including Jurisdiction and Venue, Parties, Detailed Factual Allegations, Counts, Damages, Prayer for Relief, Verification, and Exhibit Index—should be assembled into one continuous pleading before filing.

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MASTER CHRONOLOGY PLAN

Eduardo Curry Civil Action

This chronology is intended to organize the factual record before preparation of the final complaint. It is a working litigation outline based on the documents collected.

1. Background

2007 Final Judgment of Divorce; obligations concerning life insurance, education, and property.

2. Death of Kevin Thurston

March 2020 and immediate events.

3. Retention of Counsel

Retention of Elizabeth Stringer and initial Family Court filings.

4. Estate Administration

Timeline for opening the estate, appointment of the Personal Representative, and probate filings.

5. Communications

Chronological emails and correspondence involving counsel, the Personal Representative, and other participants.

6. Probate Proceedings

Hearings, inventories, amended inventories, mediation orders, Ex Parte Orders, and subsequent rulings.

7. Creditor Claim

Timeline from filing through dismissal and appeal.

8. Claimed Damages

Attorney fees, litigation expenses, travel, and other documented losses.

9. Exhibit Cross-Reference

Assign each event to supporting exhibits and transcript pages.

Chronology Worksheet

Date	Event Supporting Document(s)	Exhibit No.
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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF DORCHESTER
Stephanie T. Hameed, Plaintiff,

2026-CP-18- 21163

v.

Eduardo K. Curry, Esq., Defendant.

COMPLAINT

Purpose of this Filing

This complaint is intended as an initial pleading to commence a civil action and preserve Plaintiff's claims. It is based on Plaintiff's current knowledge and documents. Plaintiff reserves the right to amend the complaint as permitted by the South Carolina Rules of Civil Procedure after additional evidence and discovery are obtained.

Parties, Jurisdiction, and Venue

1. Plaintiff Stephanie T. Hameed is an adult resident of Brandon, Mississippi.
2. Defendant Eduardo K. Curry, Esq., is an attorney licensed in South Carolina who represented Aiesha J. Thurston in probate proceedings concerning the Estate of Kevin A. Thurston.
3. Venue is alleged to be proper in Dorchester County because the events described occurred in connection with proceedings there.

General Allegations

4. Kevin A. Thurston died on March 13, 2020.
5. Plaintiff contends a 2007 divorce decree required Kevin Thurston to maintain life insurance for the parties' daughters, contribute to higher education expenses, and transfer the former marital residence.
6. Plaintiff retained counsel shortly after Kevin Thurston's death to enforce rights arising from that decree.
7. Plaintiff alleges Defendant made material representations

during the course of the probate matter concerning insurance proceeds and other assets.

8. Plaintiff further alleges later probate testimony and filings disclosed additional non-probate benefits that differed from earlier representations.

9. Plaintiff alleges those representations and omissions interfered with her efforts to pursue claims arising from the divorce decree and probate proceedings.

10. Plaintiff seeks all relief authorized by law.

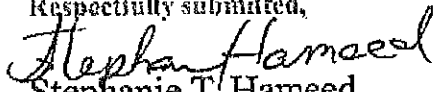
Causes of Action

Plaintiff intends to pursue civil causes of action supported by the evidence and applicable South Carolina law, including claims that may include fraudulent or negligent misrepresentation, civil conspiracy, aiding and abetting breach of fiduciary duty, or other legally recognized claims as supported by further investigation and amendment.

Prayer for Relief

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff requests judgment against Defendant for actual damages as proved at trial, punitive damages if authorized by law and supported by the evidence, costs, any other relief the Court deems just and proper, and a trial by jury on all issues so triable.

Respectfully submitted,


Stephanie T. Hameed
Plaintiff, Pro Se

