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The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
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S.C. SUPREME COURT

Re: John A. Tibbs and Margaret B. Tibbs v. 3M Company, et al.
Appellate Case No. 2024-001499

Dear Ms. Howard:

Pursuant to Rule 208(b)(7) of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules, the Receiver is writing to notify the Court of a recent order pertinent to the pending motion for sanctions in the above-referenced matter. The Receiver notifies the Court of the enclosed order:

1. Order, *Stiwinter v. 3M Company, et al.*, Appellate Case No. 2026-002112 (Ct. App., filed Oct. 2, 2026) (dismissing ESAB Corporation's appeal arising out of an order of the circuit court denying its motion to dismiss for lack of personal jurisdiction as interlocutory).

In the *Tibbs* opinion, this Court noted it has "warned the parties against filing future improper petitions or interlocutory appeals (Appellants have filed over a dozen related to this case) or engaging in other inappropriate behavior, and it held several motions for sanctions in abeyance." *Tibbs v. 3M Co.*, 448 S.C. 182, 193, 933 S.E.2d 254, 260 (2026). The enclosed recent order of the Court of Appeals is relevant to the pending motion for sanctions.

Sincerely,

Jonathan M. Robinson

JMR/dlf
Enclosure

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