

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

APPEAL FROM SPARTANBURG COUNTY
COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

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SC Court of Appeals

J. DERHAM COLE, JR, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE

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

STEVE EMERSON, #89994,

APPELLANT,

V.

ROBERT STAEHLER VI. MD.

RESPONDENT,

10-14-2026

RE: APPEAL

DEAR MS KITCHINGS,

I THE APPELLANT STEVE EMERSON #89994
RECEIVED ON 10-12-2026 A INITIAL BRIEF
FROM THE RESPONDENT'S ATTORNEY MR JOSHUA T. THOMPSON.

THE RESPONDENT'S ATTORNEY FILED A
MOTION TO DISMISS APPELLANT'S APPEAL AND AS
YOU KNOW THE SOUTH CAROLINA COURT OF APPEALS
RESPECTFULLY DENIED RESPONDENT MOTION TO DISMISS

APPELLANT'S APPEAL IS BASED SOLELY
ON THE ISSUE OF IN FORMA PAUPERIS "ONLY"
NO OTHER ARGUMENTS SHOULD BE ALLOWED,
THE RESPONDENT'S ATTORNEY STATES ISSUE ABOUT THE
COMPLAINT AND THE ISSUE AT HAND IS ONLY ABOUT
THE APPEAL OF IN FORMA PAUPERIS, HE STATED

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THAT MEDICAL MALPRACTICE WAS FILED
 STATED ABOUT NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE SUIT, THE
 ONLY THING THAT NEEDS TO BE ADDRESSED IS
 THE APPEAL BASED ON BEING DENIED
 ACCESS TO THE COURTS.

THERE SHOULD NOT BE ANYTHING SAID
 OR STATED ABOUT MY COMPLAINT, FOR ONE I'S
 I'VE NEVER HAD HEARING, AND TWO I WAS DENIED
 ACCESS TO THE COURT TO HEAR MY COMPLAINT.

CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA 1976 ANNOTATED
 ARTICLE 4. INAPPLICABILITY WHERE ACCESS
 TO COURTS CONSTITUTIONALLY REQUIRED.

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 INDIGENT PERSON

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

(3)

AT THIS TIME I AM REQUESTING
A STATUS REPORT CONCERNING MY APPEAL
FOR IN FORMA PAUPERIS.

SINCERELY,

Steve Emerson #89994

STEVE EMERSON #89994

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PENNY CONNECTIONAL INST

430 OAKLAWN ROAD

PERDUE, SOUTH CAROLINA

29669

"ADDED INFORMATION"

STATEMENTS WERE MADE AND SAID
WHICH ARE NOT TRUE I DID NOT FILE
UNDER MEDICAL MALPRACTICE, AND DID FILE
NOTICE OF INTENT OF SUIT, RESPONDENT'S ATTORNEY
HAS "USED" PAGE 7 OF HIS INITIAL BRIEF
DATED 10-6-2016

"2026"

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"CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE"

"NOTICE OF SUIT FILED"

I STEVE EMERSON THE PLAINTIFF
HEREBY GIVE YOU NOTICE THAT A MEDICAL
NEGLIGENCE PERSONAL INJURY & PROXIMATE
CAUSE OF INJURY WAS FILED IN THE
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA - COUNTY OF
SPARTANBURG, IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

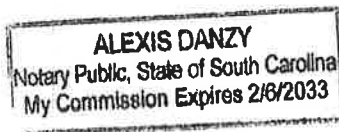
YOU WERE NOTIFIED (2) TWO TIMES
BEFORE OF PLAINTIFF'S INTENTION TO FILE
SUIT, AND YOU THE DEFENDANT ROBERT STREHLER VI, MD
FAILED TO ANSWER NOTICE OF INTENT BOTH TIMES.

THIS CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE, ALONG
WITH "NOTICE OF SUIT FILED, HAS BEEN MAILED
IN THE UNITED STATE POSTAL SERVICE AT THE
POULY CONNECTIONL INST MAIL ROOM, AND HAS BEEN
NOTARIES BY A NOTARY PUBLIC SIGNED AND DATED.

SINCERELY
Steve Emerson

SWORN OR AFFIRMED TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE
ME THIS 26th DAY March, 2026


NOTARY PUBLIC FOR SOUTH CAROLINA



MY COMMISSION EXPIRES

"CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE"
NOTICE OF INTENT SUSTAINED
SENT TO DEFENDANT
AT ADDRESS BELOW

ROBERT STREHLON VI, MD
SMC - CENTER OF UROLOGY SPARTANBURG
391 SERPENTINE DRIVE SUITE (500)
SPARTANBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA

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