

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
 COUNTY OF DARLINGTON
 IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL CASE

CASE NO. 2010-CP-16-0315

Bobby Lee Tucker, Sr.

John Doe, individually, and d/b/a Doe Trucking

PLAINTIFF(S)

Company
 DEFENDANT(S)

Submitted by:	Attorney for : <input type="checkbox"/> Plaintiff <input type="checkbox"/> Defendant
	or
	<input type="checkbox"/> Self-Represented Litigant

DISPOSITION TYPE (CHECK ONE)

- JURY VERDICT:** This action came before the court for a trial by jury. The issues have been tried and a verdict rendered.
- DECISION BY THE COURT.** This action came to trial or hearing before the court. The issues have been tried or heard and a decision rendered. See Page 2 for additional information.
- ACTION DISMISSED (CHECK REASON):** Rule 12(b), SCRPC; Rule 41(a), SCRPC (Vol. Nonsuit); Rule 43(k), SCRPC (Settled); Other
- ACTION STRICKEN (CHECK REASON):** Rule 40(j), SCRPC; Bankruptcy; Binding arbitration, subject to right to restore to confirm, vacate or modify arbitration award; Other
- DISPOSITION OF APPEAL TO THE CIRCUIT COURT (CHECK APPLICABLE BOX):**
 Affirmed; Reversed; Remanded; Other

NOTE: ATTORNEYS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR NOTIFYING LOWER COURT, TRIBUNAL, OR ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCY OF THE CIRCUIT COURT RULING IN THIS APPEAL.

IT IS ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: See attached order (formal order to follow) Statement of Judgment by the Court: **See Page 2 for text of decision finalizing acceptance of remittitur by Plaintiff and granting judgment.**

ORDER INFORMATION:

This order ends does not end the case.
 Additional Information for the Clerk :

INFORMATION FOR THE JUDGMENT INDEX		
Complete this section below when the judgment affects title to real or personal property or if any amount should be enrolled. If there is no judgment information, indicate "N/A" in one of the boxes below.		
Judgment in Favor of (List name(s) below)	Judgment Against (List name(s) below)	Judgment Amount to Be Enrolled (List amount(s) below)
Bobby Lee Tucker, Sr.	John Doe, individually, and d/b/a Doe Trucking Company	\$3,000,000.00
		\$
		\$
If applicable, describe the property, including tax map information and address, referenced in the order:		

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 DARLINGTON, S.C.

The judgment information above has been provided by the submitting party. Disputes concerning the amounts contained in this form may be addressed by way of motion pursuant to the SC Rules of Civil Procedure. Amounts to be computed such as interest or additional taxable costs not available at the time the form and final order are submitted to the judge may be provided to the clerk. Note: Title abstractors and researchers should refer to the official court order for judgment details.

Circuit Court Judge:  2121 Judge Code 01/10/14 Date

For Clerk of Court Office Use Only

This judgment was entered on the _____ day of _____, 20____ and a copy mailed first class or placed in the appropriate attorney's box on this day of _____, 20____ to attorneys of record or to parties (when appearing pro se) as follows:

_____ day of _____, 20____ to attorneys of record or _____

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CLERK OF COURT

Court Reporter:

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING DECISION BY THE COURT AS REFERENCED ON PAGE 1.

On December 16, 2013, this Court issued an Order Granting Defendants' Motion for New Trial *Nisi Remittitur* as to Punitive Damages and Denying Remaining Post-Trial Motions ("Order"). The Court reduced the punitive damages amount awarded by the jury, \$2.5 million dollars, to \$500,000.00, and further ordered that Plaintiff shall have thirty (30) days from the date of service of the Order to either accept the reduced amount or file a motion for a new trial. By letter dated January 9, 2014, copy of which is attached hereto, counsel for Plaintiff has accepted the reduced punitive damages award and has not moved for a new trial. As a result, this Court now enters judgment in this case in the aggregate amount of \$3 million dollars, \$2.5 million dollars for actual damages and \$500,000.00 for punitive damages for Plaintiff jointly against the Defendants.

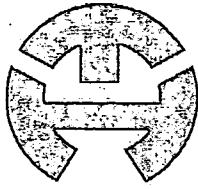
IT IS SO ORDERED.

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SCOTT E. SUGGS
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DAKINGTON COUNTY, S.C.

Circuit Court Judge

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January 9, 2014

VIA FACSIMILE (843-393-6871)

Honorable Scott B. Suggs
County of Darlington Clerk of Court
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Re: Bobby Lee Tucker, Sr. vs.
John Doe, individually, and
d/b/a Doe Trucking Company
C/A # 2010-CP-16-0315
Our File # 2010117 J

Dear Mr. Suggs:

We have received Judge Baxley's Order denying Defendants' post-trial motions with the exception of the motion to remit punitive damages. Judge Baxley has reduced the punitive damage award from \$2,500,000 to \$500,000. After conferring with Mr. Tucker, he has declined to request a new trial and will accept the remitted amount as the judgment to be entered in this case. By a copy of this letter to Thomas J. Keaveny, II, Esquire, I am providing him with a copy of my communication with your office and also providing a copy to Judge Baxley via email.

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JAN 15 2014
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COUNTY OF DARLINGTON, S.C.

With kindest regards, I am

Yours very truly,

WILLIAM P. HATFIELD

WPH:slh

cc: Mr. Bobby Lee Tucker, Sr.
Thomas J. Keaveny, II, Esquire (via email)
Honorable J. Michael Baxley (via email)