

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM Charleston COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

J. C. Nicholson, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2013-CP-10-03054

Willie Preston, individually and as the Personal Representative of the Estate of Martha
Preston, Deceased.Appellant,

v.

Surgical Care Affiliates, LLC; Charleston Surgery Center, L.P.; Laura Bilancione, R.N.;
Coastal Anesthesia Associates; and Christine Thompson, MD..... Defendants,

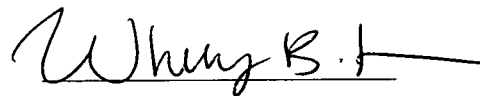
Of Whom

Coastal Anesthesia Associates is the, Respondent,

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Appellant Willie Preston, individually and as the Personal Representative of the Estate of
Martha Preston, Deceased appeals from an order of the Honorable J.C. Nicholson, Jr. granting
Coastal Anesthesia's Motion to Set Aside Entry of Default on January 17, 2014, because the
setting aside an entry of default based on improper service is equivalent to the granting of a
motion to dismiss and is immediately appealable.

Respectfully submitted,



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PROOF OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that on the date indicated below she
served counsel for Appellant with a copy of Initial Brief of Respondent and
Designation of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal by mailing copies
of the same by United States Mail with first class postage prepaid to the following
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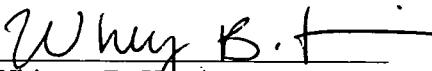
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RE: Filing of Notice of Appeal in *Willie Preston, individually and as the Personal Representative of the Estate of Martha Preston, Deceased, v. Surgical Care Affiliates, LLC; Laura Bilancione R.N.; Coastal Anesthesia Associates and Christine Thompson, MD.* (13-CP-10-03054).

Dear Madam Clerk:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and one copy of the Notice of Appeal, Proof of Service and fee in the above referenced matter. Please file the original and return the file-stamp copy to me in the self-addressed stamped envelope provided.

Thank you for your assistance and if you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Whitney B. Harrison

Enclosures

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