

72021

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM ABBEVILLE COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

Eugene C. Griffith, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2012-CP-01-00341

Johnny Calhoun and Sallie Calhoun, Respondents,

v.

LAURA B. WILLIS, individually, and as agent for Southern Risk Insurance Services, LLC, First National Insurance Company of America, Peerless Insurance Company, JESSE A. DANTICE, individually and as broker/agent for Southern Risk Insurance Services, LLC Company, and First National Insurance Company of America, The Insurers Insurance Company, SOUTHERN RISK INSURANCE SERVICES, LLC, FIRST NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA, AND PEERLESS INSURANCE COMPANY,.....

RECEIVED

APR 25 2014

SC Court of Appeals

Defendants,

Of whom First National Insurance Company of America and Peerless Insurance Company are,

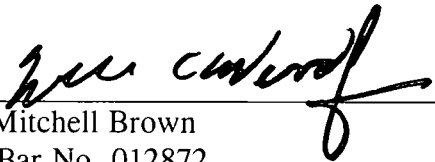
Appellants.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

First National Insurance Company of America and Peerless Insurance Company appeal the two (2) Orders of the Honorable Eugene C. Griffith, Jr. dated April 17, 2014, and March 21, 2014 (attached as exhibits). Appellants received written notice of entry of the order of April 17, 2014 on April 22, 2014.

SIGNATURE PAGE ATTACHED

NELSON MULLINS RILEY & SCARBOROUGH, LLP

By:  _____

C. Mitchell Brown
SC Bar No. 012872
E-Mail: mitch.brown@nelsonmullins.com
William C. Wood, Jr.
SC Bar No. 015111
E-Mail: bill.wood@nelsonmullins.com
1320 Main Street / 17th Floor
Post Office Box 11070 (29211-1070)
Columbia, SC 29201
(803) 799-2000

Robert C. Calamari
SC Bar No. 064985
E-Mail: bob.calamari@nelsonmullins.com
3751 Robert M. Grissom Parkway / Suite 300
Post Office Box 3939 (29578-3939)
Myrtle Beach, SC 29577-3165
(843) 448-3500

Attorneys for Defendants First National Insurance
Company of America and Peerless Insurance
Company

Columbia, South Carolina
April 25, 2014

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM ABBEVILLE COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

Eugene C. Griffith, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2012-CP-01-00341

Johnny Calhoun and Sallie Calhoun, Respondents,

v.

LAURA B. WILLIS, individually, and as agent for
Southern Risk Insurance Services, LLC, First National
Insurance Company of America, Peerless Insurance
Company, JESSE A. DANTICE, individually and as
broker/agent for Southern Risk Insurance Services,
LLC Company, and First National Insurance Company
of America, The Insurers Insurance Company,
SOUTHERN RISK INSURANCE SERVICES, LLC,
FIRST NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF
AMERICA, AND PEERLESS INSURANCE
COMPANY, Defendants,

Of whom First National Insurance Company of America
and Peerless Insurance Company are, Appellants.

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned Administrative Assistant of the law offices of Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP, attorneys for First National Insurance Company of America and Peerless Insurance Company, do hereby certify that I have served all counsel in this action with a copy of the pleading(s) hereinbelow specified by mailing a copy of the same by United States Mail, postage prepaid, to the following address(es):

Pleadings:

Notice of Appeal

Counsel Served:

Attorneys for Plaintiffs

Thomas E. Hite, Jr., Esquire
Hite & Stone
Post Office Box 805
Abbeville, SC 29620

Attorneys for Defendant Laurie Wilson Williams

Jane H. Merrill, Esquire
Hawthorne Merrill Law, LLC
410 Main Street
Greenwood, SC 29646

*Attorneys for Defendant Jesse A. Dantice and Southern
Risk Insurance Services LLC*

James C. (Trey) Cox III, Esquire
Grier Cox & Cranshaw LLC
Post Office Box 2823
Columbia SC 29202-2823

Attorneys for Defendant Laura Willis

William H. Nicholson III, Esquire
Nicholson & Anderson
Post Office Box 457
Greenwood SC 29648



Lisa P. Whitehurst
Administrative Assistant

April 25, 2014

Nelson Mullins

Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP
Attorneys and Counselors at Law
1320 Main Street / 17th Floor / Columbia, SC 29201
Tel: 803.799.2000 Fax: 803.256.7500
www.nelsonmullins.com

William C. Wood, Jr.
Tel: 803.255.9534
bill.wood@nelsonmullins.com

April 25, 2014

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk of Court
SC Court of Appeals
1015 Sumter Street - 5th Floor
Columbia, SC 29201

RE: Johnny and Sallie Calhoun v. Laura B. Willis, et al.
Civil Action No.: 2012-CP-01-341
Our File No.: 00350.01686

RECEIVED

APR 25 2014

SC Court of Appeals

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find the original and one copy of a Notice of Appeal in regard to the above-referenced matter. We would ask that you file the original and return a clocked-in copy to us via our courier. Also enclosed is our check in the amount of \$100.00 as the required filing fee.

Sincerely,



William C. Wood, Jr.

WCWJR:lpw

Enclosures

cc: (all w/enc.)

The Honorable Emily Yeargin McMahan
Thomas E. Hite, Jr., Esquire
Jane H. Merrill, Esquire
James C. (Trey) Cox III, Esquire
William H. Nicholson III, Esquire