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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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Re Frank Gordon, Jr., Individually and as Trustee of the Dorothy S. Gordon (Deceased) Trust v Donald W. Lancaster

Appeal from the Charleston County
Court of Common Pleas

Case Action No 2011-CP-10-8840
Appellate Case Tracking No.. **2014-001247**
NP File No 053211-00001

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Appeal from the Charleston County
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Case Action No 2010-CP-10-9096
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Dear Ms Kitchings

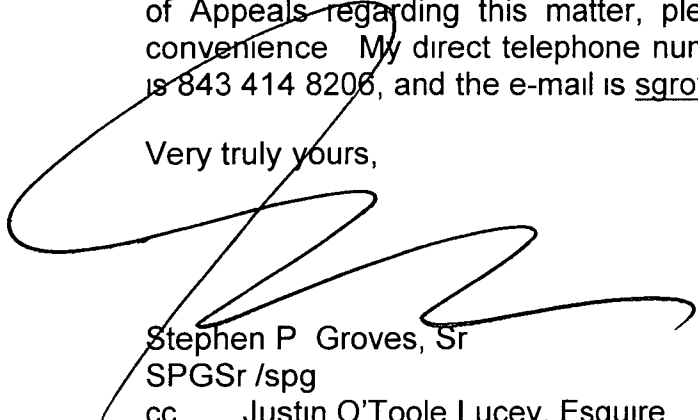
This will acknowledge your letter dated 25 June 2014, regarding the first appellate matter (No 2011-CP-10-8840) referenced above and the assignment of the also-referenced Appellate Case No 2014-001247. As you may recall, there were two Notices of Appeal filed in this case – each essentially bearing the same caption, but different Civil Action Numbers. I am writing to inquire whether the assigned Appellate Case Number applies to both cases or if the Court of Appeals intends to assign the second appeal (Civil Action No 2010-CP-10-9096) another separate Appellate Case Number.

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Furthermore, since the two appeals involve the same parties, same matters, and the same issues, would it be appropriate and/or necessary for me to file a Motion to Consolidate in each case so that neither side would be required to submit duplicate motions, briefs, Records on Appeal, *etc.* to the Court of Appeals? I will be glad to do whatever the Court determines appropriate

I look forward to hearing from you at your convenience. If you need anything else or I otherwise may be of any assistance to you or to the Court of Appeals regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me at your convenience. My direct telephone number is 843 720 1725, direct telecopier is 843 414 8206, and the e-mail is sgroves@nexsenpruet.com

Very truly yours,



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