

# The Supreme Court of South Carolina

The City of Columbia, Respondent,

v.

Haiyan Lin, Petitioner.

Appellate Case No. 2014-001822

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## ORDER

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By order dated August 6, 2014, the South Carolina Court of Appeals advised petitioner that she had twenty days to serve and file her initial brief and designation of matter.<sup>1</sup> Petitioner has now filed a petition for a writ of certiorari seeking review in this case.

Under Rule 242(a) of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR), this Court will only review a final decision of the Court of Appeals, and a decision is not final for the purposes of review until a petition for rehearing or reinstatement has been acted on by the Court of Appeals. Rule 242(c), SCACR. In the present case, the Court of Appeals has not issued any final decision regarding the appeal and the appeal is still in the briefing stage. Accordingly, the petition for a writ of certiorari is dismissed.

Further, to the extent that the petition could be construed as a request to certify the appeal for review by this Court under Rule 204, SCACR, that request is denied.

  
C.J.  
FOR THE COURT

Columbia, South Carolina  
August 29, 2014

cc: David A Fernandez, Esquire  
Ms. Haiyan Lin

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<sup>1</sup> Before the Court of Appeals, the Appellate Case No. is 2014-000037.