

The South Carolina Court of Appeals

Peter Brown, Appellant,

v.

South Carolina Department of Health and Human
Services, Respondent.

Appellate Case No. 2014-000443

ORDER

In an April 28, 2014 order, this court relieved counsel for Appellant. Subsequently, on July 2, 2014, this court notified Appellant that it had not received notification of new counsel, and thus, assumed Appellant was proceeding pro se. We further ordered Appellant to serve and file his initial brief and designation of matter within thirty days. Appellant responded, claiming he did not receive the April 28 order and he has been unable to obtain counsel. Respondent has filed a motion to dismiss, arguing the appeal is moot and Appellant has failed to file an initial brief and designation of matter.

After careful consideration, we deny the motion to dismiss and appoint Kirby Mitchell, of South Carolina Legal Services, to represent Appellant. Further, we direct Appellant to file a memorandum addressing mootness within thirty days of the date of this order.



FOR THE COURT

Columbia, South Carolina

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