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In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM PICKENS COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

Letitia H. Verdin, Circuit Court Judge and
Lee S. Alford, Circuit Court Judge

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C.A. No.: 2015-001361 and
C.A. No.: 2014-001737

MARK D. OSTENDORFFAppellant(s)

v.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PICKENS COUNTY Respondent(s).

MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE RELATED APPEALS

Respondent, School District of Pickens County, pursuant to Rule 214 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules, requests that this appeal be consolidated for all purposes with the prior pending appeal in this case. This request and motion is made upon the grounds that Appellant previously filed an appeal of the Circuit Court's Order, dated August 9, 2015, granting Respondent's Motion to Dismiss Improperly Named Defendants. After that appeal was filed, the Circuit Court issued a second Order granting Summary Judgment to School District of Pickens County, and Appellant is now appealing that Order.

The consolidation of these two appeals into one would be in the best interests of

appeals. Respondent respectfully requests that these appeals be consolidated into a single appeal and ask that a single argument schedule govern the matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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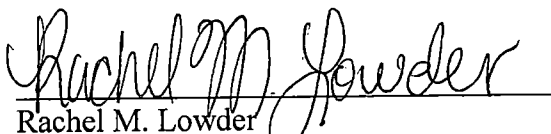
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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served Respondent's Motion to Consolidate Related Matters on the *pro se* Appellant by depositing a copy of it in the U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, on August 3, 2015, addressed as listed below.



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