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July 25, 2015

The Honorable Julie J. Armstrong
100 Broad St Ste 106
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RE: C.A. No.: 2006-CP-10-1577

Madam Clerk,

Enclosed for filing is an Order Denying Plaintiff's Motion for a New Trial Absolute.
The parties have not been served. Please see to it that they receive copies.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jasmine D. Wyman".

Jasmine D. Wyman
Law Clerk to the Honorable Clifton Newman

Enclosure

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF Charleston
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL CASE

CASE NO. 2006-CP-10-01577

Lawton Limehouse Sr.

Paul H. Hulsey and The Hulsey Litigation Group LLC

PLAINTIFF(S)

DEFENDANT(S)

Submitted by: _____	Attorney for : <input type="checkbox"/> Plaintiff <input type="checkbox"/> Defendant
	<input type="checkbox"/> Self-Represented Litigant

DISPOSITION TYPE (CHECK ONE)

- JURY VERDICT.** This action came before the court for a trial by jury. The issues have been tried and a verdict rendered.
- DECISION BY THE COURT.** This action came to trial or hearing before the court. The issues have been tried or heard and a decision rendered.
- ACTION DISMISSED (CHECK REASON):** Rule 12(b), SCRPC; Rule 41(a), SCRPC (Vol. Nonsuit); Rule 43(k), SCRPC (Settled); Other _____
- ACTION STRICKEN (CHECK REASON):** Rule 40(j), SCRPC; Bankruptcy; Binding arbitration, subject to right to restore to confirm, vacate or modify arbitration award; Other _____
- DISPOSITION OF APPEAL TO THE CIRCUIT COURT (CHECK APPLICABLE BOX):**
 Affirmed; Reversed; Remanded; Other _____

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NOTE: ATTORNEYS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR NOTIFYING LOWER COURT, TRIBUNAL, OR ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCY OF THE CIRCUIT COURT RULING IN THIS APPEAL.

IT IS ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: See attached order (formal order to follow) Statement of Judgment by the Court: **As to the claim of the Plaintiff for defamation, we the jury unanimously finds in favor of the Defendants. The Parties will be allowed 10 (ten) days to file post-trial motions.**

ORDER INFORMATION

This order ends does not end the case.
Additional Information for the Clerk : _____

INFORMATION FOR THE JUDGMENT INDEX

Complete this section below when the judgment affects title to real or personal property or if any amount should be enrolled. If there is no judgment information, indicate "N/A" in one of the boxes below.

Judgment in Favor of (List name(s) below)	Judgment Against (List name(s) below)	Judgment Amount To be Enrolled (List amount(s) below)
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		\$

If applicable, describe the property, including tax map information and address, referenced in the order:

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Circuit Court Judge [Signature] Judge Code 2127 Date 3/27/15

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
)
COUNTY OF CHARLESTON)
)
Lawton Limehouse, Sr.,)
) Plaintiff,)
) v.)
) Paul H. Hulsey and The Hulsey Litigation)
) Group, LLC,)
) Defendants.)
_____)

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
C.A. No. 2006-CP-10-1577 AUG 31 2015
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VERDICT

1. As to the claim of the Plaintiff for defamation, we the jury unanimously find:

a.) _____ for the Plaintiff in the amount \$ _____
general and special damages against the following Defendant(s):

_____ Paul H. Hulsey _____ The Hulsey Litigation Group, LLC

b.) for the Defendants

2. If you find for the Plaintiff above, do you find that the Plaintiff has established by clear and convincing evidence that he is entitled to an award of punitive damages?

_____ Yes _____ No

If yes, as to which Defendant(s)?

_____ Paul H. Hulsey _____ The Hulsey Litigation Group, LLC

I certify that this verdict is the unanimous decision of the jury:

Key Holt
Foreperson

March 27, 2015
Charleston, South Carolina