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APPEAL FROM DORCHESTER COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

Thomas L. Hughston, Circuit Court Judge

2015-CP-18-1308

Adrian Smalls,

Respondent,

v.

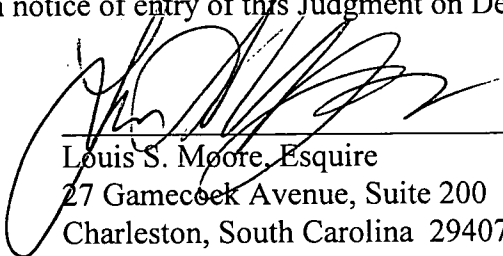
Brenda Lee Barnett,

Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Brenda Lee Barnett appeals the judgment of the Honorable Thomas L. HuGHston dated December 23, 2015. Appellant received written notice of entry of this Judgment on December 30, 2015.

February 1, 2016



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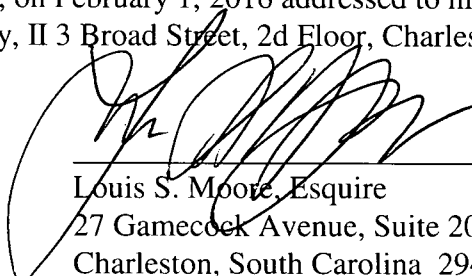
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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served the corrected Notice of Appeal on Adrian Smalls by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on February 1, 2016 addressed to his attorneys of record, Kevin D. Hackler and Theron W. Sandy, II 3 Broad Street, 2d Floor, Charleston, South Carolina 29401.

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JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL CASE

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BRENDA LEE BARNETT

APPELLANT

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DORCHESTER COUNTY

ADRIAN SMALLS

RESPONDENT

Submitted by:

Attorney for : ☒ Respondent ☐ Defendant
or
☐ 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. ☐ See Page 2 for additional information.
- ☐ **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 _____

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: Defendant/Appellant's appeal heard on December 15, 2015 is **DENIED**. See page 2 for further information.

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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Circuit Court Judge

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This judgment was entered on the _____ day of _____, 20____ and a copy mailed first class or placed in the appropriate attorney's box on this _____ day of _____, 20____ to attorneys of record or to parties (when appearing pro se) as follows:

see attached

ATTORNEY(S) FOR THE PLAINTIFF(S)

ATTORNEY(S) FOR THE DEFENDANT(S)

CLERK OF COURT

Court Reporter: _____

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING DECISION BY THE COURT AS REFERENCED ON PAGE 1.

This action came to trial or hearing before the court. The issues have been tried or heard and a decision rendered.

Appellant's appeal is DENIED for the following reasons: (1) Appellant failed to show that the

Magistrate's Court lacked subject matter jurisdiction; (2) Appellant failed to articulate a valid

reason that the Magistrate's Court should have allowed Appellant to present evidence and

dispute Respondent's claims when Appellant's answer was not filed in a timely fashion;

(3) Appellant failed to show that Respondent's claims were barred by the doctrine of Res

Judicata; and (4) Appellant failed to show that the Magistrate's issuance of a Writ of

Execution was improper.

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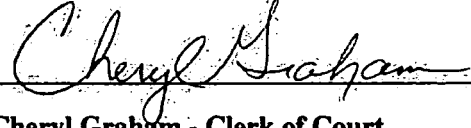
This judgment was entered on **12/23/2015**, and a copy mailed first class or placed in the appropriate attorney's box on **12/23/2015**, to attorneys of record or to parties (when appearing pro se) as follows:

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Court Reporter: Bonnie Kelly

Cheryl Graham - Clerk of Court

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February 1, 2016

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings

Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals

Post Office Box 11629

Columbia, South Carolina 29211

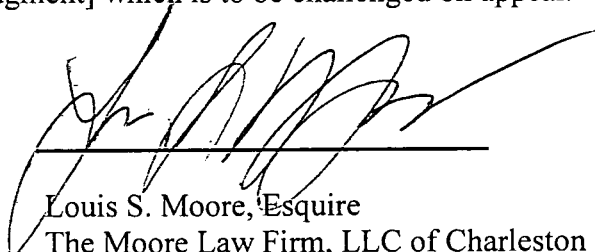
RE: Adrian Smalls, Respondent vs Brenda Lee Barnett, Appellant,

Case No. 2016-000100

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing is the corrected notice of appeal in the above case. Also enclosed are the following:

- (1) Corrected Proof of service of the notice of appeal on the respondent[s].
- (2) A copy of the order[s] [judgment] which is to be challenged on appeal.
- (3) A filing fee of \$100.*



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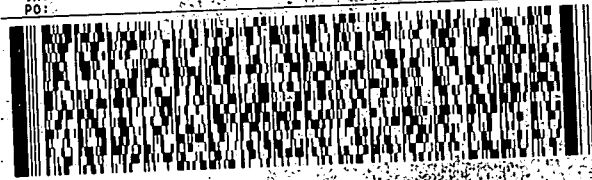
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