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DeAndrea Gist Benjamin, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2013-CP-40-1897

Kim Murphy ..... Appellant


v.

Richland-Lexington School District No. 5 by and through its Board of Trustees by  
And through Counsel to the Board of Trustees, ..... Respondent.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Kim Murphy appeals the order of the Honorable DeAndrea Gist Benjamin, dated October 30, 2014. Appellant filed a Motion to Reconsider and received written notice of entry of an order on said motion on January 8, 2016. Appellant also appeals the decision outlined in the Form 4 Judgment of the Honorable DeAndrea Gist Benjamin, filed on January 8, 2016.

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I, the undersigned employee of J. Lewis Cromer & Associates, L.L.C., caused to have served Appellant's Notice of Appeal on counsel for Respondent by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on February 5, 2016, addressed to John M. Reagle, Esquire, Childs & Halligan, P.O. Box 11367, Columbia, South Carolina 29211.

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Honorable Kenneth A. Richstad  
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RE: Kim Murphy vs. Richland-Lexington School District No. 5 by and through its  
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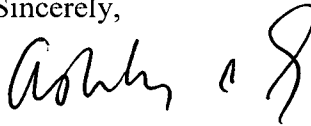
Dear Mr. Richstad:

Enclosed for filing are the original and two (2) copies of the Notice of Appeal in the above referenced matter, along with the Proof of Service. Also, enclosed are copies of the Orders which are to be challenged on appeal, as well as our check in the amount of \$100.00 for the filing fee. Please file and return the clocked copies to our administrative assistant.

Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions.

With kind regards, I remain

Sincerely,



Ashley C. Story

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