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Dear Counsel,

Attached is the order expediting the appeal in the above entitled matter. A hard copy of this order is being mailed to you via US mail. Please feel free to contact this office if you have any questions.

Thank you,

Debbie Hopkins
South Carolina Supreme Court
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The Supreme Court of South Carolina

Craig Nesbit and John Y. Latimer, Respondents,

v.

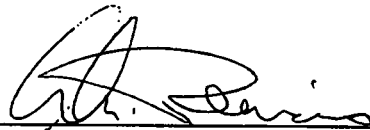
Edward Byrd, Mike Morrow, Willie Mae Muldrow and
Ken Currie, Appellants.

Appellate Case No. 2016-000299

Lower Court Case No. 2015-CP-31-00134

ORDER

Appellants have appealed an order of the circuit court upholding the Municipal Election Commission's finding that a new election is required in this matter. In order to ensure an expeditious resolution of this case, we set forth the following schedule. Appellants shall, within five (5) days of the date of this order, make satisfactory arrangements in writing with the court reporter for furnishing the transcript. The court reporter shall give this matter priority and shall transcribe and deliver the transcript to appellants no later than thirty (30) days after the date of the request for the transcript. Within fifteen (15) days after receiving the transcript, appellants shall serve and file their Initial Brief (IB) and designation of matter (DOM). Respondents shall have fifteen (15) days after service of appellants' IB and DOM to serve and file their IB and DOM. Any reply must be served and filed within five (5) days of service of respondents' IB and DOM. The Record on Appeal shall be served and filed within fifteen (15) days after service of the last IB. Within ten (10) days after service of the Record on Appeal, the parties shall serve and file their final briefs. No extensions shall be granted in this matter.



C.J.

FOR THE COURT

Columbia, South Carolina

February 23, 2016

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