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In the Supreme Court

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APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas

Tanya A. Gee, Circuit Court Judge

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Appellate Case No.: 2016-000021

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v.

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System, South Carolina Retirement Systems Group Trust,  
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**DESIGNATION OF MATTER  
TO BE INCLUDED IN THE RECORD ON APPEAL**

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Respondents propose the following to be included in the Record on Appeal:

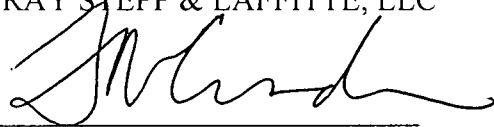
1. Order of September 28, 2015
2. Order of November 2, 2015
3. Order of December 2, 2015
4. Complaint
5. Respondents' Motion to Dismiss
6. Respondents' Memorandum in Support of Motion to Dismiss with exhibits
7. Respondents' Reply in Support of Motion to Dismiss
8. Appellants' Motion to Reconsider
9. Respondents' Memorandum in Opposition to Motion to Reconsider
10. Transcript of September 28, 2015 hearing (entire transcript)
11. Transcript of September 5, 2012 (quoted excerpts only)

12. Email to Judge Gee dated October 27, 2015
13. Notice of Appeal

I certify that this designation contains no matter that is irrelevant to this appeal.

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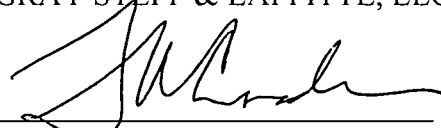
The undersigned certify they have caused the Respondents' Initial Brief and Designation of Matter to be included in the Record on Appeal to be served on Appellants by hand delivery and electronic mail on March 11, 2016, addressed to their counsel of record as follows:

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