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Re: Billy Rice v. SCDPPPS
Appellate Case No. 2016-000297

Dear Mr. Rice:

Upon reviewing your appellant's initial brief, the following deficiency or deficiencies have been noted under the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR), and any deficiency must be corrected within ten (10) days of the date of this letter or the appeal will be dismissed:

- The initial brief is not accompanied by a designation of matter to be included in the record on appeal. Please see Appendix C, Form 14, SCACR, for guidance.
- We are returning the documents entitled "Appellant's Affidavit in Support of Authentication," which accompanied the initial brief. Now is not the time to file this material. Please see Rule 210, SCACR, regarding the record on appeal.

Very truly yours,

V. Claire Allen, Deputy

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cc: Matthew C. Buchanan, Esquire