

EXHIBIT 2

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA) IN COMMON PLEAS
COUNTY OF RICHLAND) COURT
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RUSSELL L. BAUKNIGHT AS TRUSTEE)
OF THE JAMES BROWN 2000) TRANSCRIPT
IRREVOCABLE TRUST, ET AL.) OF
-VS-) RECORD
ADELE J. POPE,) 2010-CP-40-4900
DEFENDANT.)

OCTOBER 5, 2012

RICHLAND, SOUTH CAROLINA

B-E-F-O-R-E:

HONORABLE CASEY L. MANNING, JUDGE;

A-P-P-E-A-R-A-N-C-E-S:

FOR THE PLAINTIFF:

MARK GENDE, ESQ.

FOR THE DEFENDANT:

ADAM SILVERNAIL, ESQ.

may not have sent it directly to you.

THE COURT: So, I can't receive something that hasn't been sent to me. Go ahead.

MR. SILVERNAIL: As we described in this objection again having to work from not knowing which of the plaintiffs may or may not show up and approach issues with the various plaintiffs.

As to the minors the parents who purport to represent them in this litigation have apparent conflicts of interest with the minors whose education trust funds were destroyed or at least substantially changed not to the minor's benefit by this settlement that is now on appeal in a separate case. We believe that the minors ought to have somebody unconflicted who, you know, can --

THE COURT: I think your position was that they (indicating) shouldn't even be representing the State of South Carolina in a previous hearing. Y'all wanted to have them relieved, removed and you never gave me one, one, case in the whole United States that would have supported your position in a earlier motion I've heard. And it seems to be a continuation of the same sort of behavior on behalf of the defendant in this case. Help me out.

MR. SILVERNAIL: Well --

THE COURT: Every time we've had a hearing there's always been some exceptions, some objection to things that really don't amount to a hill of beans in my opinion. You fought this every step of the way. You continue to fight it and then we're talking about a mediation. We're not talking about somebody that going to waive some real or apparent constitutional rights. It's not going to behind somebody from here to hereafter. We're talking about trying to resolve some issues in this case. But you -- I think your position has been you've objected to everything that anybody's tried to accomplish in this case. But go ahead. I haven't read this yet because you didn't send it to me but continue with your argument.

MR. SILVERNAIL: Well, Your Honor, as to the arguments about the plaintiff's firm representing the state --

THE COURT: That issue has been resolved. Let's move on.

MR. SILVERNAIL: Okay. Well, as to the medication issues which are separate, you know, we haven't had any discovery in this case.

THE COURT: I understand that. That was one

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IN RE: THE ESTATE OF JAMES BROWN A/K/A JAMES JOSEPH BROWN

Adele J. Pope.....Appellant,

v.

Alan Wilson Attorney General of the State of South Carolina, Russell L.
Bauknight, as Special Administrator and Special Trustee for The Estate
of James Brown and The James Brown 2000 Irrevocable Trust, and
Tommie Rae Brown.....Respondents,

PROOF OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a copy of the **Return To Pope's Motion To Strike
The Reply Filed By The Respondent Settling Parties** has been served upon the
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of October, 2012.

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