

June 29, 2016

**VIA HAND DELIVERY:**

The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
South Carolina Supreme Court Clerk of Court  
1231 Gervais Street  
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

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SC SUPREME COURT

Re: Abbeville County School District, et al. v. The State of S.C. et al.  
Appellate Case No.:2007-65159

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Enclosed are an original and seven (7) copies of Respondents-Appellants' Report as Required by Order dated November 5, 2015 in the above-referenced matter. Please file in your usual course and return a file-stamped copy to my office by our courier.

By copy of this letter and as evidenced by the Proof of Service, I am serving the report on all parties.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter and please contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,



Robert E. Stepp

Enclosures

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