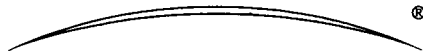


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Re: *Daufuskie Island Utility Company, Inc. v. South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff, Haig Point Club and Community Association, Inc., Melrose Property Owner's Association, Inc., Bloody Point Property Owner's Association, and Beach Field Properties, LLC*  
Appellate Case No. 2016-000652  
A&R File No. 051030-000001

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Enclosed herewith for filing are the original and one copy of Respondents Haig Point Club and Community Association, Inc., Melrose Property Owner's Association, Inc. and Bloody Point Property Owner's Association's Initial Brief, Designation of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal and a Proof of Service in the referenced matter. Please file the original and return a clocked copy to me via our courier.

By copy of this letter, I am hereby serving a filed copy of these documents on counsel for the Appellants.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Please contact me with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

John J. Pringle, Jr.

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