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APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY  
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L. Casey Manning, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2015-CP-40-05106

Pearline Williams ..... Respondent,

v.

Larita Hipp and Michelle Masaryk ..... Defendants,

of whom Michelle Masaryk is the ..... Appellant.

**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

Attorney John Nichols respectfully requests that this Court note his appearance as additional counsel of record for the Respondent. As the Court is aware, attorney Gerald E. Reardon, remains counsel of record. See Rule 264, SCACR; see also *Ex parte Strom*, 343 S.C. 257, 539 S.E.2d 699 (2000).

Respectfully submitted,



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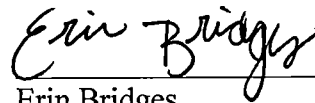
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**PROOF OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that on the date indicated below she served counsel for the Respondent/Appellant with a copy of the *Notice of Appearance* by mailing copies of the same by United States Mail with first class postage prepaid to the following address:

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**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

The Honorable Jenny Kitchings  
Clerk of Court  
South Carolina Court of Appeals  
1220 Senate Street  
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Re: Pearlina Williams v. Larita Hipp  
Case Tracking No.: 2016-002043

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Attorney John Nichols has been retained to assist as counsel for the Respondent in this case. Please find enclosed the original and one (1) copy of a request to notice his appearance. I have also enclosed a proof of service of this document on counsel for the Respondent. Please return the additional filed copy to me via our courier.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions or need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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