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

S.C. SUPREME COURT

Re: The Winthrop University Trustees for the State of South Carolina vs.
Pickens Roofing and Sheet Metals, Inc.
Supreme Court Case No. 2016-002336
Appellate Court Case No. 2014-000821

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

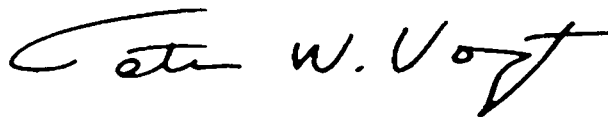
Enclosed for filing in the above referenced matter please find the original and six (6) copies of Respondent's Return to Pickens Roofing and Sheet Metals, Inc.'s Verified Petition for Supersedeas. We would appreciate if you would please file Respondent's Return.

By copy of this letter, I am serving all counsel of record with the Return as set forth in the enclosed Proof of Service.

Thank you for your assistance in this regard.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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