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APPEAL FROM RUSSELL SHANE CARTER
Court of Common Pleas

John Hayes, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2014-CP-46-1307

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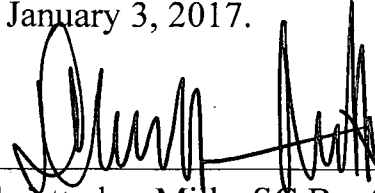
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Russell Shane Carter,.....Respondent-Appellant,
v.
Bruce Bryant,.....Appellant-Respondent.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Russell Shane Carter cross-appeals the order of the Honorable John Hayes dismissing Carters' cause of action for false arrest made after the close of plaintiff case. The jury returned a verdict for Carter on the surviving claim of malicious prosecution on November 9, 2016 and judgment was entered on that verdict November 10, 2016.

The defendant Bryant filed timely post-trial motions which were denied by Judge Hayes by order filed on December 5, 2016. Respondent-Appellant served notice of the appeal on December 29, 2016. Counsel for Carter received the Notice of Appeal from Appellant-Respondent on January 3, 2017.



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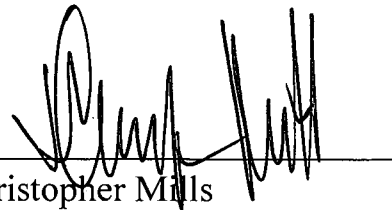
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NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

The undersigned counsel for Respondent Russell Shane Carter, hereby gives
notice of appearance to all parties and to all counsel of record.

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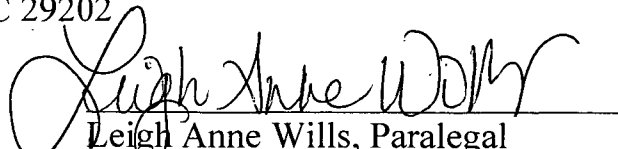
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned employee of Chris Mills Law, counsel for the Respondent, does hereby certify that service of the **Notice of Appeal** and **Notice of Appearance** in the above-captioned matter was made upon all counsel of record by placing copies in the United States Mail, first class postage, at the below listed addresses clearly indicated on said envelopes this the 3rd day of January, 2017:

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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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Re: *Russell Shane Carter vs. Bruce Bryant, as Representative for York County Sheriffs Office*
C/A No.: 2014-CP-46-1307

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please find enclosed for filing the originals and one copy each of the **Notice of Appeal** and **Notice of Appearance** in the above referenced matter. Please file the originals and return a clocked-in copy of each document to me by way of my courier. I have also enclosed a check in the amount of \$100.00 for the filing fee. By copy of this letter, I am serving copies on all counsel of record.

Thank you for your time and attention in this matter. If you have any questions or require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

J. Christopher Mills

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Enclosures

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