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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
Clerk, S.C. Court of Appeals  
1220 Senate Street  
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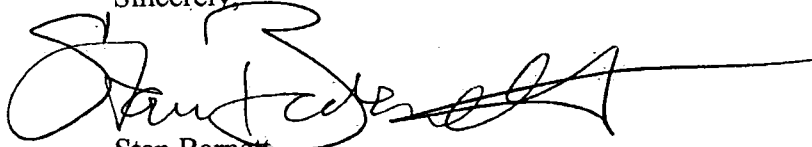
RE: S.C. DHEC and Horry County Public Works v. SC Coastal Conservation League and SC  
Wildlife Federation: Admin Law Court Case No. 15-ALJ-07-0404-CC  
Appellate Case No.: 2016-001758

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

I am writing on behalf of Horry County in response to the Court's request for a response to the Motion to Stay deadlines in the above case. The County consents to the stay. We have been informed by counsel for Appellants that they are collecting signatures of their clients to an agreed upon settlement agreement. This means that in all likelihood settlement should be consummated very soon.

With kindest regards and appreciation, I remain

Sincerely,



Stan Barnett

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