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VIA HAND DELIVERY

The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk of Court
Supreme Court of South Carolina
1231 Gervais St.
Columbia, SC 29201

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S.C. SUPREME COURT

Re: Basil Akbar v. SCDC, Bill Byers, Martha Roof, Debrah Long,
Lisia Johnson, Ann and John Doe
Appellate Case No: 2017-000014
Richland Co. Case No: 2013-CP-40-0301
Claim No: 75046
Our File No: 9-372

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

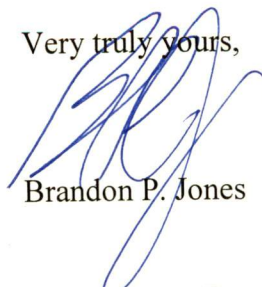
Please find enclosed for filing the original and eight (8) copies of **Respondents' Return to Appellant's Petition for Writ of Certiorari** in reference to the above-captioned matter. Please return two (2) clocked-in copies to me via my courier.

By copy of this letter, I am serving the *pro se* Appellant with the same.

Thank you for your assistance. Should you have any questions or concerns, do not hesitate to contact me.

With kindest regards, I am,

Very truly yours,



Brandon P. Jones

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Enclosures

cc: Basil Akbar, #65498 (w/encl.; via Certified/Return Receipt Requested)