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**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Court of Appeals  
1015 Sumter Street  
Columbia, SC 29201

**Re: Lauren Proctor, et al. v. Whitlark & Whitlark, Inc., et al.**  
**Case No.: 06-CP-40-1814**  
**Appellate Case No. 2012-205510**

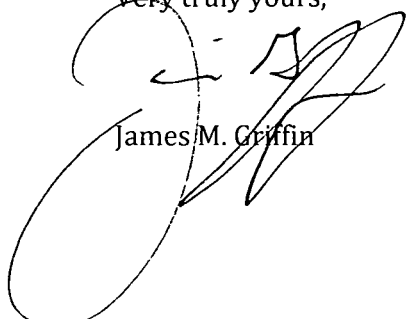
Dear Ms. Abbott Kitchings:

I am in receipt of your letter advising that oral argument could be scheduled during the February 2013 term for the above-referenced case. I am writing to advise that I am scheduled to be in a month long federal civil trial here in Columbia, S.C. starting on February 7. As a result of this conflict I am requesting that the Court not schedule oral argument on February 7, 12, 13 or 14, 2013.

Thank you for your attention in this matter and if you need further assistance please do not hesitate to contact me.

With kind regards, I am

Very truly yours,

  
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