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SC Court of Appeals

G. Thomas Cooper, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2017-CP-22-00040

Henry G. Thomas and Ellie Pennington Thomas, as Personal
Representatives of the Estate of Johanna Thomas, Respondents,

v.

Morningside of South Carolina, L.P.; LifeTrust Properties,
LLC; Life Trust American, Inc.; FSQ/LTA Holdings, Inc.;
FSQ, Inc. Five Star Quality Care, Inc.; Anita Williams; John
Doe; and Richard Roe Corporation, of whom Morningside of
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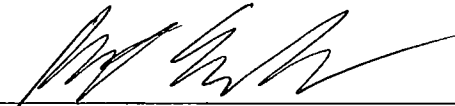
NOTICE OF APPEAL

Defendants Morningside of South Carolina, L.P., LifeTrust Properties, LLC, Life Trust American, Inc., FSQ/LTA Holdings, Inc., FSQ, Inc., Five Star Quality Care, Inc., and Anita Williams appeal the Order of the Honorable G. Thomas Cooper, Jr. filed on April 12, 2017. The Defendants received written notice of the entry of the order on April 12, 2017.

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served the Notice of Appeal on Henry G. Thomas and Ellie Pennington Thomas, as Personal Representatives of the Estate of Johanna Thomas by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on May 10, 2017, addressed to their counsel of record, Laura S. Jordan and C. Caleb Connor, CONNOR & CONNOR, LLC, 224 Park Avenue SE, Aiken, South Carolina 29801.

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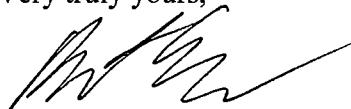
Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing is a Notice of Appeal in the above-referenced matter. Also enclosed are the following:

- (1) Proof of Service of the Notice of Appeal on the Respondents;
- (2) A copy of the Order which is to be challenged on appeal; and
- (3) A filing fee of \$100.

Please file the original and return a file-stamped copy to me in the envelope provided. By copy of this letter to the Georgetown County Clerk of Court, we are serving the Clerk with a copy of the Notice of Appeal.

Very truly yours,



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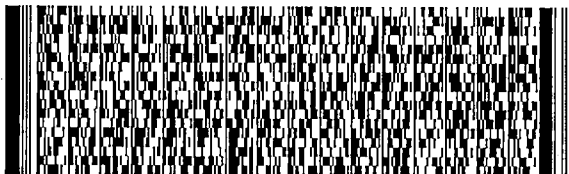
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