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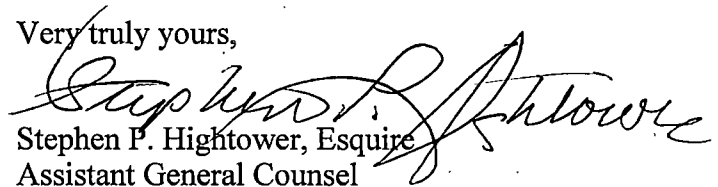
The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
1015 Sumter Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Re: *A.O. Smith v. SCDHEC*
Appellate Case No. 2016-002108

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

I am writing in response to response to your corresponded dated October 10, 2018 in which you requested the availability of counsel to appear if oral argument in s scheduled on the following dates in the above referenced case: February 4, 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, or 14, 2019. As of this date, the undersigned counsel has no conflicts that would prevent his appearance if oral argument is scheduled for one of the dates.

Very truly yours,


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