

The South Carolina Court of Appeals

Tony Blevins Living Trust, Charles E. Thomas, III,
Stephanie L. Thomas, Bill Brackner, Daniel D. Hein,
Cecie L. Hein, Foster Peabody, Nancy Peabody, Andrew
M. Sova, Paul S. Gregg, David G. Fitzpatrick, Thomas
A. Herrmann, Robert C. Giles, and Jill M. Giles,
Appellants,

v.

Sands Ocean Club Homeowners Association, Inc., Island
Resort Company, LLC, Howard Anderson, Michael
Putzer, Jamie Hills, Walter Marsden and Lee Good,
Respondents.

Appellate Case No. 2018-001857

ORDER

This appeal arises out of an order of the circuit court denying the appellants' motion for protection from discovery and disclosure of evidence, denying the respondents' motion to alter or amend answer, and denying the respondents' motion/judgment.

Absent a specialized statute, the appealability of an interlocutory order is derived from section 14-3-330 of the South Carolina Code (2017). Because the order on appeal is not final, this appeal is dismissed. *See Ex parte Wilson*, 367 S.C. 7, 13, 625 S.E.2d 205, 208 (2005) (citing *Lowndes Prods., Inc. v. Brower*, 262 S.C. 431, 205 S.E.2d 184 (1974), which held an order denying or compelling pretrial discovery is not directly appealable); *Baldwin Constr. Co. v. Graham*, 357 S.C. 227, 229, 593 S.E.2d 146, 147 (2004) (finding an order denying a motion to amend an answer is not immediately appealable); *Rose v. Thrash*, 291 S.C. 459, 459, 354 S.E.2d 378, 378 (1987) (stating the denial of a motion for judgment on the

pleadings is not directly appealable). The remittitur will be sent as provided by Rule 221(b) of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules.

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FOR THE COURT

Columbia, South Carolina

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The Honorable Benjamin H. Culbertson

The Honorable Renee Elvis

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