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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
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Re: Bauknight v. Pope, Appellate Case No. 2017-001899

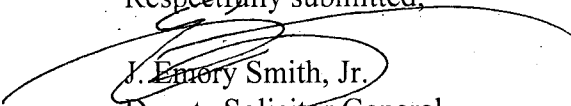
Dear Ms. Kitchings:

We received Appellant's final briefs in this case yesterday. According to your letter of September 21, 2018, to Appellant's counsel, Mr. Bundy, filing deadlines were to be held in abeyance pending the Court's decision on the motion to strike. Motions to strike Appellant's initial reply brief, including the Attorney General's motion to strike Appellant's counter-designations, are pending, and the Attorney General filed on September 26, a motion to correct the record on appeal which is also pending.

Our understanding is that filing deadlines are still being held in abeyance. Therefore, the Attorney General will not file his final brief absent further direction from the Court. He reserves the right to move to strike Appellant's final reply brief pending a decision on his motion to strike the initial reply.

Please let me know if you have any questions or if further action is necessary now. I am submitting the original and six copies of this letter.

Respectfully submitted,


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