

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In the Court of Appeals  
APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas

Joseph R. Strickland, Master-in-Equity

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Trial Court Case No. 2013-CP-40-05740  
Appellate Case No. 2016-000046  
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Hamilton Duncan, as Conservator for a Minor, B.W. Duncan, and Hamilton Duncan, as  
Conservator for a Minor, J.R. Duncan.....Respondents,

v.

Roy Drasites and Elizabeth Drasites.....Appellants.

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**RESPONDENT'S MOTION FOR FEES AND COSTS**  
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Pursuant to Rule 222, SCACR, Respondent Hamilton Duncan, as Conservator for a  
Minor, B.W. Duncan, and Hamilton Duncan, as Conservator for a Minor, J.R. Duncan, by and  
through its undersigned counsel, hereby moves this Court to tax costs against the Appellants.

This Motion is based on the fact that this appeal was dismissed by this Court by Opinion  
filed on May 16, 2018. The Appellants filed a Petition for Writ of Certiorari with the Supreme  
Court of South Carolina on or about July 20, 2018. The Supreme Court of South Carolina  
denied Appellants' Petition for Writ of Certiorari on November 28, 2018. The Remittitur was  
issued on December 3, 2018. Respondent being the prevailing party, is entitled to tax costs  
against Appellants in accordance with the rules of this Court. Pursuant to Rule 222(d), SCACR,  
accompanying this motion is a sworn itemized statement of costs incurred in the form prescribed

by the appendix to the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules. Further, pursuant to Rule 222(b), SCACR, Respondent seeks to recover attorney's fees in the amount of \$2,500 as set forth by Order of the Supreme Court dated January 17, 2018.

Respectfully submitted,

**CALLISON TIGHE & ROBINSON, LLC**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'George A. Taylor', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is stylized and somewhat cursive.

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**ATTORNEYS FOR RESPONDENT**

December 11, 2018

**FORM 17  
ITEMIZED STATEMENT OF COSTS**

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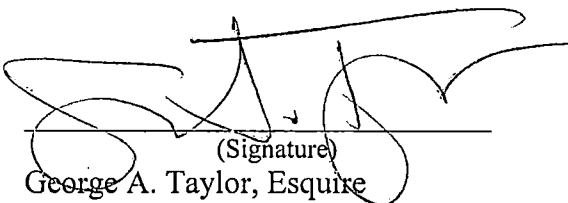
The Appellate Court is requested to tax the following costs against:

**Roy Drasites and Elizabeth Drasites**  
(Name of Party)

COSTS TAXABLE UNDER RULE 222, SCACR	NO. OF PAGES	RATE	REQUESTED	ALLOWED (For Court Use Only)
Cost of Printing or Copying Final Brief			\$104.00	
Cost of Printing or Copying Final Reply Brief				
Cost of Printing or Copying Record on Appeal				
Filing Fee Paid Under Rule 203(d), SCACR				
Cost of Court Reporter's Transcript				
Attorney's Fee Provided By Rule 222(b), SCACR			\$2,500.00	
Other (specify and explain):				

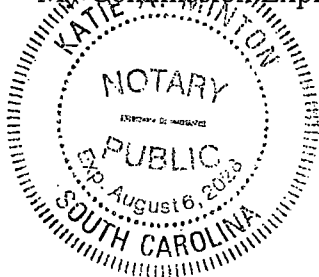
COSTS TAXABLE UNDER RULE 242(j), SCACR				
Cost of Printing or Copying Brief				
Cost of Printing or Copying Reply Brief				
Cost of Printing or Copying Appendix				
Filing Fee Paid Under Rule 242(c), SCACR				
Attorney's Fee Provided By Rule 242(j)(2), SCACR				
Other (specify and explain):				
		TOTAL	\$2,604.00	

I, George A. Taylor, Esq., do swear or affirm that the foregoing costs are correct and were necessarily incurred in this action. A copy of this statement was mailed to/served upon counsel for Appellants.

  
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 (Signature)  
 George A. Taylor, Esquire  
 Attorney for Respondent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2018.

Katie A. Minton  
 Notary Public for South Carolina  
 My Commission Expires: 8/6/28



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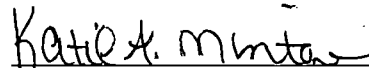
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**PROOF OF SERVICE**  
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I certify that I have served a copy of the following as indicated hereinbelow, by mailing a  
copy of same on the date below by First Class United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to  
the following:

**DOCUMENT SERVED:** Respondent's Motion for Fees and Costs

**PARTIES SERVED:** James Randall Davis, Esquire  
Davis Frawley, LLC  
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Lexington, SC 29071  
*Attorneys for Appellants*

  
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Katie A. Minton, Paralegal

December 11, 2018  
Columbia, South Carolina

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December 11, 2018

**VIA HAND-DELIVERY**

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
Clerk of Court  
Court of Appeals  
1220 Senate Street  
Columbia, SC 29201

**Re: Hamilton Duncan, as Conservator for a Minor, et al.  
v. Roy Drasites and Elizabeth Drasites  
Appellate Case No. 2016-000046  
Our Case No. 6035.001**

Dear Ms. Kitchings:


Enclosed for filing please find the original and six (6) copies of the Respondent's Motion for Fees and Costs and Proof of Service, in connection with the above-referenced matter. Also enclosed please find my firm's check in the amount of \$50.00 as the required filing fee. Please return an extra clocked-in copy to me via my courier.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

With warmest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

**CALLISON TIGHE & ROBINSON, LLC**

  
George A. Taylor

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Enclosures  
cc: (w/ encl.) James Randall Davis, Esquire  
Michael W. Tighe, Esquire  
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