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Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk of Court
The Supreme Court of South Carolina
Post Office Box 11330
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

S.C. Supreme Court

Re: *Windy Price v. Horry County Election Commission*
Appellate Case No. 2012-213489
Lower Court or Tribunal No. 2012-CP-26-04403

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Bess J. DuRant and I represent the Respondent Horry County Election Commission in the above-referenced appeal. We have confirmed that counsel for Ms. Price has received the transcript as requested from Court Reporter Henry P. Young; however, we have been unable to establish the date of receipt.

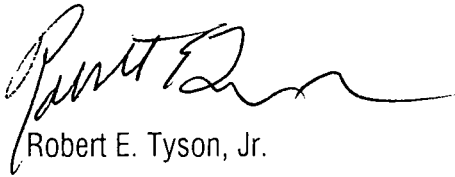
Accordingly, pursuant to Rules 208 and 209, SCACR, it appears that Ms. Price's Initial Brief and Designation of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal, will be due thirty (30) days from date of receipt of the transcript.

Please advise if the Court has established a briefing schedule in this matter.

As well, we would ask the Court to consider consolidation of this matter with Appellate Case No. 2012-212914, *Retha Pierce vs. Horry County Election Commission*, which also involves a protest of the same mayoral election in Atlantic Beach. If you require a formal motion, we will be happy to file same.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Robert E. Tyson, Jr.

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