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RE: *Estate of Mims v. SCDDSN*, Appellate Court Case Number 2020-000417

Dear Counsel:

This Court has received your documents entitled "Petition for a Writ of Certiorari, Mandamus or Supersedeas" and "Complaint" along with an "Appendix." To the extent these documents are seeking review of the decision of the South Carolina Court of Appeals in Appellate Court Case Number 2019-001552 under Rule 242 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR), that petition for a writ of certiorari will be processed under the appellate case number shown above.¹

The caption of this case will be:

Estate of Edward James Mims, Laura M. Cole, Personal Representative,
Petitioner,

v.

¹ To the extent these documents seek relief under Rule 245, SCACR, that request is being processed separately under Appellate Court Case Number 2020-000424.

The South Carolina Department of Disabilities and Special Needs, Kathi Lacy, and Stan Butkus, Respondents.²

This caption, along with the appellate case number given above, should be used on all further filings relating to this case. All filings must comply with the requirements of Rule 267, SCACR. The SCACR are available online at www.sccourts.org/courtreg. Additionally, any filings submitted by counsel admitted in South Carolina must include counsel's bar number.

The attention of the parties is directed to the order relating to the inclusion of personal data identifiers and other sensitive information in documents filed with the Supreme Court of South Carolina and the South Carolina Court of Appeals.

The order can be found at

www.sccourts.org/courtOrders/displayOrder.cfm?orderNo=2014-04-15-02. Please note that the responsibility for insuring that information is redacted or sealed as required by this order rests with counsel and the parties. This office will not review filings for redaction or to determine if materials should be sealed.

Since a writ of supersedeas is dependent on the pendency of an appeal,³ the petition for a writ of supersedeas will be processed under this case, Appellate Court Case Number 2020-000417. You will need to provide the \$50 filing fee required by Rule 240, SCACR, for this petition within ten (10) days of the date of this letter.

Very truly yours,



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cc: Kenneth P. Woodington, Esquire
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Robert Clyde Childs, III, Esquire
Jenny Abbott Kitchings, Esquire

² If you believe that additional parties should be added to this case, you will need to file a motion seeking that relief. This motion will need to comply with the requirements of Rule 240, SCACR, including the required filing fee of \$50.

³ See Rule 241(c), SCACR ("After service of notice of appeal, any party may . . . move for an order imposing a supersedeas . . ."); *State v. Hill*, 314 S.C. 330, 440 S.E.2d 255 (1994) (" . . . a writ of supersedeas is only available where there is an appealable order.").