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I also have no objection to the dismissal under the terms contained in the agreed dismissal.

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Mr. Shearouse,

I am in agreement with the dismissal on the terms contained in the agreed dismissal.

Thank you, Patty

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Thank you, Daniel:

I am in agreement with the dismissal on the terms contained in the Settlement agreement

Thank you so much

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Mr. Bennett, Ms. Scarborough and Mr. Cooke:

Rather than submitting a revised agreed dismissal, I think it will be sufficient if you would each confirm by reply e-mail that you have no objection to the dismissal under the terms contained in the agreed dismissal. A copy of the agreed dismissal was enclosed in my earlier e-mail.

Daniel E. Shearouse
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Mr. Shearouse,

Thank you for your email. You are correct that Ms. Scarborough, Mr. Bennett, and Mr. Cooke were among the counsel listed on the Proof of Service of the Notice of Appeal filed with the Court of Appeals on May 16, 2019. We apologize for any confusion caused by that document or by the signature pages of the recently-filed Agreed Dismissal.

In response to your questions, the Estate (the Keith S. Wellin Florida Revocable Living Trust) is also represented by Mr. Hood, who signed the Agreed Dismissal. Accordingly, I did not include the signature of Ms. Scarborough or Mr. Bennett. In addition, because Ms. Scarborough and Mr. Bennett are not themselves parties to this appeal, I did not include their counsel, Mr. Cooke, among those requesting and consenting to the appeal's dismissal.

If you wish, I would be happy promptly to revise and refile the Agreed Dismissal, edited to include the signatures of Ms. Scarborough or Mr. Bennett, and Mr. Cooke. Please let me know at your convenience if that is preferable.

Respectfully,

Miles

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Dear Mr. Coleman:

This Court has received the agreed dismissal in this case.

The notice of appeal filed with the South Carolina Court of Appeals listed Florence Patricia Scarborough, Esquire, Edward G.R. Bennett, Esquire, as "Attorneys for the Estate." I do not see where either of these attorneys have signed the agreed dismissal. Can you please explain why one of them has not signed this agreed dismissal?

Further, the notice of appeal listed M. Dawes Cooke, Jr., as the "Attorney For F. Patrick Scarborough, Esq. and Edward G.R. Bennett, Esq." Can you please explain why Mr. Cooke has not signed this agreed dismissal?

Daniel E. Shearouse
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