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In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM CHARLESTON COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

Bentley D. Price, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2020-000551

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CRAIG CHAPPELL, on behalf of himself and others similarly situated, Appellant,

v.

Ladles Soups – James Island LLC; Ladlessoups, LLC; Ladles Soups At Cane Bay LLC; Ladles Soups At Citadel Mall LLP; Ladles Soups Calhoun LLC; Ladles Soups Cane Bay LLC; Ladles Soups Coosaw LLC; Ladles Soups Downtown Charleston, LLC; Ladlessoups Fresh Fields, LLC; Ladles Soups @ Freshfields Village, LLC; Ladlessoups Mainstreet, LLC; Ladles Soups Moncks Corner LLC; Ladlessoups Mount Pleasant, LLC; Ladles Franchise Development, LLC; Ladles Franchising Inc.; Ladles Fort Mill, LLC; Ladles Knightsville LLC; Ladles West Ashley; Teri Owens; Sue Allen, Tracy Allen, Steve Traeger, Erik Dyke, Julie Dyke, Stan Sutton, Carol Sutton, Jason Dalter, Kellie Henderson; Jane Doe 1-25 (Unknown Operating Company and Management Company Owners); John Doe 25-40 (Management Personnel), Defendants,

Of Which Ladles Soups Coosaw LLC, Ladles Soups Downtown Charleston, LLC, Traeger Unlimited dba Ladlessoups Fresh Fields, LLC, Ladles Soups @ Freshfields Village, LLC, Ladles Soups Moncks Corner LLC, Ladles Franchise Development, LLC, Ladles Fort Mill, LLC, Ladles Knightsville LLC, Ladles West Ashley, Steve Traeger, Stan Sutton, Carol Sutton, and Kellie Henderson are the Respondents.

SUGGESTION OF DEATH OF APPELLANT CRAIG CHAPPELL

Pursuant to South Carolina Appellate Court Rule 265, the undersigned counsel for Appellant suggests on the record in this appeal the death of Appellant, Craig Chappell, on or about September 27, 2020. South Carolina Rule of Civil Procedure 25 provides that counsel for a deceased party “shall give notice to all other parties of the death of such party as soon as practicable after obtaining

such knowledge and of the name and address of the proper parties who should be substituted.”
Counsel for Appellant would assert that the claims asserted on behalf of Craig Chappell do survive under South Carolina statutory and common law. Counsel is working with family members for Appellant to seek appointment of a personal representative.

Dated: October 27, 2020

Respectfully Submitted,

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PROOF OF SERVICE OF SUGGESTION OF DEATH OF APPELLANT CRAIG CHAPPELL

I, David Ashley, certify that I have served *Suggestion of Death of Appellant Craig Chappell* on Ladles Soups Coosaw LLC, Ladles Soups Downtown Charleston, LLC, Traeger Unlimited dba Ladlessoups Fresh Fields, LLC, Ladles Soups @ Freshfields Village, LLC, Ladles Soups Moncks Corner LLC, Ladles Franchise Development, LLC, Ladles Fort Mill, LLC, Ladles Knightsville LLC, Ladles West Ashley, Steve Traeger, Stan Sutton, Carol Sutton, and Kellie Henderson, by e-mailing a copy to their attorneys of record, Paul B. Ferrera, III at paul@ferreralawfirm.net and Janel Ferrara at janel@ferreralawfirm.net on October 27, 2020.

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Paul, I hope you are doing well. As you know, we already filed notice with Charleston County - this is the notice for SC Ct. Appeals.

Respectfully,

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