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Re: United Services Automobile Association vs. Belinda Pickens  
Appellate Case No. 2020-000439  
Civil Action No.: 2019-CP-40-03702  
Our File No.: 3250-1590

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

This firm represents Respondent United Services Automobile Association in the above-referenced appeal. Pursuant to Rule 208(b)(7) of the South Carolina Rules of Appellate Practice, we respectfully submit to the Court's attention the Court's recent decision in *Nationwide Insurance Company of America v. Knight*, Op. No. 28028 (S.C. Sup. Ct. filed May 12, 2021) (Shearouse Adv.Sh. No. 16 at 19).

Respondent submits this decision because the Court in *Knight* interprets South Carolina Code Section 38-77-340, which is the same statute at issue in this appeal. The *Knight* decision also addresses whether a named driver exclusion endorsement may apply to coverages other than liability coverage, which is at issue in this matter.

A copy of this letter is being sent to counsel for Appellant. Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

With warm personal regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

  
Wesley B. Sawyer

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Enclosures

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