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**SC Court of Appeals**

**MOTION TO REINSTATE**

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM SUMTER COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas

The Honorable Thomas E. Player, Jr.,  
Special Referee

Case No. 2018-001277

Joseph K Coffey Jr., as  
Legal Representative of  
Donna Erickson

Respondent,

v.

Felicia Ruff

Appellant.

**MOTION TO REINSTATE**

I have received a letter from the Court of Appeals dismissing my case. It informs me that a remittitur will be sent. This all is a result of my "alleged" failure to comply with the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules and this court's letters of February 4, 2021; March 11, 2021; and April 16, 2021. It also states, I failed to serve and file a record on appeal.

In my defense, I have been in full compliance. I have remained in open correspondence with the clerk in charge of my case, Mary Kaitlin. I have faxed all documents requested of me, in the time frame allotted. I have also submitted a Motion to late file, along with the \$50 filing fee. My money order was accepted, however, I never received any correspondence from the courts. I have submitted an Amended Designation of Matter along with proof of filing and serving (as instructed by the above mentioned clerk of court.) I have also filed and served the Motion to Late File (via fax.) These faxed documents were confirmed to have been received in follow-up phone conversations. These documents were submitted in accordance with timeline correspondence to above mentioned dates.

This would be the second error on the parts of the courts. To err is human. A remittitur

was sent out before and had to be recanted. I am at the mercy of this court to please reach out to Mary Kaitlin for confirmation of all of the above claims. I am at the mercy of this court to reinstate my case, for I am in full compliance.

June 11, 2021

/Felicia Ruff

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Appellant

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