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APPEAL FROM BEAUFORT COUNTY  
COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
ROBERT BONDS, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE

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Case Nos.:  
2019-CP-07-01253  
2019-CP-07-01294

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*In re:* IN THE MATTER OF: Estate of Paul Brandon Barringer II

Hampton B. Luzak, .....Appellant,

v.

Merrill U. Barringer, .....Respondent.

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Appellant Hampton B. Luzak (hereafter “Appellant”) appeals from the trial court’s order dated August 20, 2021 granting Summary Judgment on Plaintiff’s second and third causes of action, which was received by counsel for Appellant on August 20, 2021. A copy of the order dated August 20, 2021 is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**. In addition, Appellant appeals from the order denying the Appellant’s Motion for Reconsideration dated October 8, 2021, received by counsel for Appellant on October 8, 2021. A copy of the order denying the Motion for Reconsideration dated October 8, 2021 is attached hereto as **Exhibit B**.

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Good afternoon,

The attached Notice of Appeal is being filed today with the Court of Appeals and Beaufort County Clerk's office.

Kindest Regards,  
-Beth

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Re: *Hampton Luzak v. Merrill B. Light, et al.*  
Case Nos.: 2019-CP-07-01263  
2019-CP-07-01294

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing, please find a Notice of Appeal and Proof of Service for the above-referenced matter. Pursuant to paragraph (c) of the Supreme Court's administrative order dated August 25, 2021 ("Methods of Electronic Filing and Service Under Rule 262 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules") a check for the filing fee is being forwarded via US mail.

Our office is already in possession of the August 10, 2021 and October 7, 2021 transcripts. According to our calculations, the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of matter is therefore due on Wednesday, December 8, 2021. If I am mistaken as to that deadline date, please inform my office as soon as possible.

By copy of this letter and as evidenced by the Proof of Service, these filing has been served upon counsel for the Respondents. A copy is also being filed with the Beaufort County Clerk of Court. Thank you for your time in this matter. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

With warm personal regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

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The Honorable Jenny Abbot Kitchings  
In Re: Luzak v. Light, et al.  
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