

The Supreme Court of South Carolina

USAA Casualty Insurance Company, Plaintiff,

v.

Vincent J. Rafferty, Jr., as personal representative of the
Estate of Megan Walters Jenkins, Defendants.


Appellate Case No. 2021-001390

ORDER

Pursuant to Rule 244, SCACR, the Court will answer the following question certified to this Court by order of the Honorable David C. Norton, United States District Court Judge for the District of South Carolina, Charleston Division:

Under South Carolina law, may an auto insurer validly limit underinsured motorist property damage coverage to property damage to vehicles defined in the policy as "covered autos"?

The parties shall proceed to serve and file briefs as provided by Rule 244(e), SCACR. The parties are reminded Rule 244, SCACR, does not provide for the filing of initial briefs; therefore, only final briefs should be filed in this matter.



FOR THE COURT C.J.

Columbia, South Carolina
January 12, 2022

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The Honorable David C. Norton