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The Honorable R. Ferrell Cothran, Jr.  
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Civil Action No. 2020-CP-43-00734

Appellate Case No. 2021-001150

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Ronald L. Jones, Appellant,

v.

Gary A. Jones, Sr., Becky J. Jones, Ima Lee Jones, and Shelley Allsbrooks, Respondents.

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**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

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Jonathan M. Robinson, Shanon N. Peake, and Austin T. Reed hereby enter a Notice of Appearance as appellate co-counsel along with Marvin E. McMillan, Jr. and Thomas E. Player, Jr., on behalf of Respondents Gary A. Jones, Sr., Becky J. Jones, and Shelley Allsbrooks in Appellate Case No. 2021-001150. Please include the above-mentioned counsel on all future correspondence and appellate filings.

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**PROOF OF SERVICE**

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I, the undersigned attorney of the law offices of Smith Robinson Holler DuBose and Morgan, LLC, do hereby certify that on February 4, 2022, I have served all counsel in this action with a copy of the pleading(s) hereinbelow in accordance with the Supreme Court's Administrative Order by emailing a copy to each attorney listed below using their primary email address listed in the Attorney Information System.

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Good afternoon, Counselors:

Please find attached the Respondents' Motion to Dismiss, Notice of Appearance, and Proof of Service in *Jones v. Jones*, Appellate Case No. 2021-001150, which we are electronically filing with the Court of Appeals today, served on you pursuant to Rule 262(c)(3) of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules and section (d) of the South Carolina Supreme Court's August 25, 2021 Order discussing methods of electronic filing and service.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Thank you,

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