

The South Carolina Court of Appeals

Genevieve Stratos, Respondent,

v.

Charleston County Sheriff's Office and Karmatic, LLC,
Defendants,

Of which Karmatic, LLC is the Appellant.

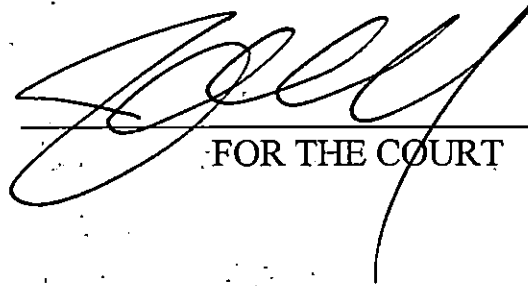
Appellate Case No. 2020-001335

ORDER

This case was dismissed, upon request of the parties, on January 5, 2022, and remitted on January 26, 2022. Respondent has now filed a motion for costs pursuant to Rule 222, SCACR, seeking to recover \$22.30 for the cost of printing her initial brief, \$106.25 for the transcript, \$50 for the motion to dismiss filing fee, \$1,050 for the cost of an injunction bond, and \$2,500 in attorney's fees. Appellant opposes the motion insofar as Respondent is seeking the cost of the transcript, the motion to dismiss filing fee, and the cost of obtaining the injunction bond required by the lower court.

We grant the motion as to the cost of the transcript and attorney's fees. We deny the motion as to the cost of printing the initial brief, the motion to dismiss filing fee, and the cost of the bond. *See* Rule 222(b) ("The party entitled to recover costs under this rule may, to the extent the party actually incurred these costs, recover the following: (1) the filing fee paid under Rule 203(d); (2) the cost of the court reporter's transcript; (3) premiums paid for costs of supersedeas bonds or other bonds obtained to preserve rights pending appeal; (4) the cost of printing the Record on Appeal under Rule 209; and (5) the cost of printing the party's final brief(s) under Rule 210."); *id.* (providing the party entitled to costs is also entitled to recover attorney's fees up to \$2,500).

Thus, Respondent is awarded \$128.55 in costs and \$2,500 in attorney's fees, for a total of \$2,628.55. The Charleston County Clerk of Court is directed to add this award to the remittitur.



FOR THE COURT

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