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APPEAL FROM SUMTER COUNTY

MASTER IN EQUITY

Case No. 2015-CP-43-1981

Appellate Case No. 2021-000230

Edward Mays and Corrine Mays.....

Respondents,

Irene L. Myers.....

Appellant.

NOTIFICATION TO COURT

(1)

I have made arrangements with stenographer Doris Tompkins Brown for the transcripts within her possession. On March 22, 2022 I sent stenographer Doris Tompkins Brown a money order for \$650 as a deposit per her request. See attached **Exhibit 1**.

(2)

The Respondent only provided me with the email address for the court reporter Kathleen Owens-Hays. On March 22, 2022 I sent Ms. Hays an email requesting the transcripts and asked

her to furnish me with the transcript costs, her phone number, and mailing information in order to facilitate payment. This email was followed up with emails relating to questions of a specific date for one of the hearings and the need for Ms. Hays to provide the cost and her contact information, phone number and mailing address, in order to facilitate payment. Confer with attached **Exhibits 2**. To date, Ms. Hays has not provided me with the cost of the transcripts or her mailing information in order to facilitate payment.

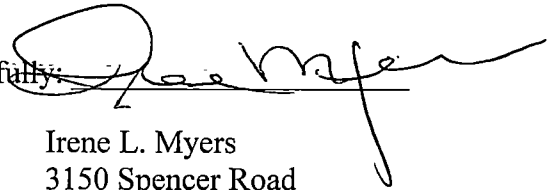
Wherefore, Appellant notifies this Court as to her attempted full compliance with its prior Order and to grant any relief the Court deems appropriate and necessary within this matter.

Sworn to Before Me This 1st Day of
April, 2022

L. J. O'Hea
Serriter L O'Hea
Expires Jan 13, 2031

Sumter, South Carolina
Date: April 1, 2022

Respectfully:



Irene L. Myers
3150 Spencer Road
Rembert, South Carolina 29128
(803) 757-5155
rosesbyirene@hotmail.com

Irene Myers
3150 Spencer Road
Rembert, SC 29128

Doris Tompkins Brown
Post Office 853
Sumter, SC 29151

March 22, 2022

Dear Ms Brown:

Re: Transcripts Motion for Restraining Order Hearing Dates August 15, 2020 and
October 27, 2020 Lower Court Case #2015-CP-43-1981 Appellate Case No, 2021-
000230

Thank you for getting back to me, regarding the transcripts in the above matter. I have two areas of concern. They are as follow:

1) \$1,000 seems particularly high for less than four hours of hearing, Please provide me with your formula for calculating the transcript cost.


2) I am unable to send the deposit or pick up the transcripts from the Lower Court. I have been notified by the Clerk of the Lower Court that they do not handle matters relating to court reporters' information and the retrieval of transcripts for the Master in Equity Court. Further, from my reading of the Court Administration regulations, I see no venue which would allow for the transaction of payment to a court reporter for transcripts through the Clerk's Office for the lower court. Finally, due to documented discrepancies within the record keeping of the Clerk of Court for the lower court, I would be reluctant to trust them with the proper record keeping and handling of this matter.

Wherefore, I believe in the interest of all parties that it would be best to send you the payment directly, via postal money order for the requested initial payment of \$650.00, by certified mail return receipt to you, Doris Tompkins Brown, at the address provided by Patrick Killen, listed as Post Office Box 853, Sumter, SC 29151. Upon completion of the transcripts and final payment, you may send the transcripts to me by certified mail return receipt requested to Irene Myers, 3150 Spencer Road, Rembert, SC 29128. Enclosed is a postal money order for \$650.00 made out to you, Court Reporter Doris Tompkins Brown. Upon your notifying me of the completed transcription, I will promptly send you the remaining balance due via certified mail, return receipt.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Ex. 1

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Irene Myers", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Irene Myers

cc: James E. Lockemy, Chief Judge
Tonnya K Kohn, State Court Administrator
Jenny Abbott Kitchings, Clerk of Appeals Court
V. Claire Allen, Chief Deputy Clerk
James C. Campbell, Clerk of Lower Court
Michael Jordan, Master in Equity
Patrick Killen, Esq.



POSTAL MONEY ORDER

Serial Number

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U.S. Dollars and Cents

27926927212

650.00

Six Hundred Fifty Dollars and 00/100 *****

Amount

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Pay to Doris Tompkins Brown

Address P.O. Box 853

Sumter, SC 29151

Case # 2015CP 43 FBI

Transcripts

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From Irene Myers

Address 3150 Spencer Rd

Rembert, SC

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Mail body: Fw: Ordering Transcripts- Case No. 2015-CP-43-1981, Appellate Case No. 2021-000230

From: irene myers

Sent: Tuesday, March 22, 2022 6:16 PM

To: kmohcr@outlook.com <kmohcr@outlook.com>

Subject: Ordering Transcripts- Case No. 2015-CP-43-1981, Appellate Case No. 2021-000230

Dear Ms. Hays:

I have recently been given your email address by Patrick M. Killeen. I am contacting you to arrange the ordering of transcripts for hearings allegedly held on January 8, 2020 and October, 2019 before the Master In Equity, Michael M. Jordan.

Please provide me with your contact information, phone number and address, in order to make arrangement for payment and facilitate a timely resolution as to any questions that may arise. I can be reached at 803-757-5155.

My mailing address is 3150 Spencer Road, Rembert, South Carolina 29128; my email address is rosesbyirene@hotmail.com

I thank you in advance and look forward to hearing from you and the timely resolution of this matter.

Sincerely,

Irene Myers

Irene Myers
3150 Spencer Road
Rembert, SC 29128

V. Claire Allen, Chief Deputy Clerk
The South Carolina Court of Appeals
1220 Senate Street
Columbia, SC 29201

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March, 2022

Dear Ms Allen

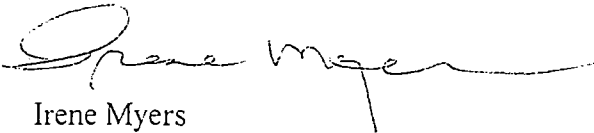
Re: Appellate Case No. 2021-000230

Pursuant to the Court's Order of January 31, 2022 Mr. Killen was required to provide Appellant with the court reporters' contact information for the hearings held at the Master in Equity Court within five days of that order. Mr. Killen did not provide appellant with the required information until forty five days after this Order. In a letter dated March 17, 2022, Mr. Killen finally provided the contact information for court reporter Doris Brown and only an email address for Kathleen Owens-Hays. I am curious as to how Mr. Killen conducted business with Ms. Hays solely through email.

Enclosed is copy of my March 22, 2022 letter to court reporter Doris Brown along with a copy of a \$650.00 postal money order payable to Ms Brown for the initial transcript payment.

As for the court reporter, Kathleen Owens-Hays, Mr. Killen has only provided an email address. Enclosed is copy of my March 22, 2022 email to Ms. Kathleen Owens-Hays to the email address given by Mr. Killen.

Sincerely,



Irene Myers

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EX 2

Mail body: Fw: Ordering Transcripts- Case No. 2015-CP-43-1981, Appellate Case No. 2021-000230

From: Kathy Owens-Hays <kmohcr@outlook.com>
Sent: Friday, April 1, 2022 12:40 PM
To: irene myers <rosesbyirene@hotmail.com>
Subject: Re: Ordering Transcripts- Case No. 2015-CP-43-1981, Appellate Case No. 2021-000230

Yes, ma'am. I haven't forgotten about you! I am currently working on jobs that I have to finish today for a client. I apologize for any inconvenience. Can I please get back to you next week?

Thank you for your patience.

My sincere regards,

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From: irene.myers <rosesbyirene@hotmail.com>
Sent: Friday, April 1, 2022 11:27:35 AM
To: Kathy Owens-Hays <kmohcr@outlook.com>
Subject: Re: Ordering Transcripts- Case No. 2015-CP-43-1981, Appellate Case No. 2021-000230

Dear Ms. Hays:

I am still waiting for the cost of the transcripts. Again, I will need your contact information, phone number and mailing address, in order to facilitate payment.

Sincerely,

Irene Myers

From: Kathy Owens-Hays <kmohcr@outlook.com>
Sent: Tuesday, March 29, 2022 6:11 PM
To: irene myers <rosesbyirene@hotmail.com>
Subject: RE: Ordering Transcripts- Case No. 2015-CP-43-1981, Appellate Case No. 2021-000230

Dear Ms. Myers,

I am again trying to contact you in reference to your email addressed to me on March 22, 2022. Because you only gave me one specific date, and I only can find where I covered a hearing on said date of January 8, 2020, I emailed you, on March 23, 2022, asking for any additional dates I may have been the court reporter for hearings in your case. I have yet to hear back from you. I cannot move forward, until I hear from you. Please respond at your earliest convenience.

If I do not hear from you, I can only assume that you no longer wish to have a transcription of any proceedings in which I was the court reporter, and will consider this matter resolved.

Respectfully,

Kathleen M. Owens-Hays, Court Reporter
kmohcr@outlook.com

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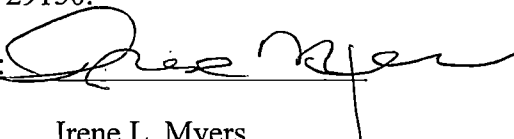
PROOF OF SERVICE

I affirm, under the penalty of perjury, I have served copies of my Proof of Request for Transcripts and Notification to Court along with attached exhibits, dated April 1, 2022, in the above case to the Respondents via their counsel, Patrick M. Killen by depositing a copy of said documents in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on April 1, 2022, addressed to Patrick M. Killen, 1 Law Range, Suite B, Sumter, South Carolina 29150.

Sworn to Before Me This 1st Day of
April 2022

Jennifer L Coker
Jennifer L Coker
Expires Jan 13, 2031

By:



Irene L. Myers
3150 Spencer Road
Rembert, South Carolina 29128
(803) 757-5155
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Sumter, South Carolina
Date: April 1, 2022

From:

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