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**VIA EMAIL AND U.S. MAIL**

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
South Carolina Court of Appeals  
P.O. Box 11629  
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Re: Jennings-Dill v. Eric Israel, Appellate Case No. 2021-001137

Dear Madam Clerk:

Enclosed for filing please find Appellant's Final Brief, Final Reply Brief, the Certificate of Counsel, and the Record on Appeal. Bound copies of the same is being mailed today.

Enclosed in the filings today is Appellant's Final Reply Brief and the Record on Appeal. On April 1, 2022, I received a letter from your office informing me that the Court had not received a proof of service for appellant's initial reply brief and designation of matter, as requested as previously requested in a March 11, 2022 letter from your office. The April 1 letter stated, "Accordingly, the Court will not accept the appellant's initial reply brief and designation of matter as filed."

The proof of service that was the subject of the April 1 letter had previously been filed on March 11 and appeared on C-Track. I responded to the April 1, 2022 letter by email. In my response, I attached a prior email I had sent to your office on March 11, 2022, with the proof of service for the appellant's initial reply brief and designation of matter attached. I did not receive any confirmation that this response resolved this issue.

Today I am filing my client's reply brief under the assumption that the above referenced confusion over the proof of service was resolved to the Court's satisfaction. To the extent it is not, I respectfully request that all briefs filed on my client's behalf be considered by the Court. Please let me know if I can provide anything further.



Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. Ozment", with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Matthew R. Ozment

Enclosures.

cc: Phillip Kilgore  
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