

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In The Supreme Court

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APPEAL FROM DORCHESTER COUNTY  
Edgar W. Dickson, Circuit Court Judge

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Appellate Case No. 2020-000986

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The Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of South Carolina; The Trustees of The Protestant Episcopal Church in South Carolina, a South Carolina Corporate Body; All Saints Protestant Episcopal Church, Incl; Christ St. Paul's Episcopal Church; Church Of The Cross, Inc. and Church Of The Cross Declaration Of Trust; Church Of The Holy Comforter; Church of the Redeemer; Holy Trinity Episcopal Church; Saint Luke's Church, Hilton Head; St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church; St. David's Church; St. James' Church, James Island, S.C.; St. Paul's Episcopal Church of Bennettsville, Inc.; The Church Of St. Luke and St. Paul, Radcliffeboro; The Church Of Our Saviour Of The Diocese of South Carolina; The Church Of The Epiphany (Episcopal); The Church Of The Good Shepherd, Charleston, SC; The Church Of The Holy Cross; The Church Of The Resurrection, Surfside; The Protestant Episcopal Church., Of The Parish Of Saint Philip, In Charleston, In The State Of South Carolina; The Protestant Episcopal Church, The Parish of Saint Michael, In Charleston, In The State Of South Carolina and St. Michael's Church Declaration Of Trust; The Vestry and Church Wardens of St. Jude's Church of Walterboro; The Vestry And Church Wardens Of The Episcopal Church Of The Parish Of St. Helena and The Parish Church of St. Helena Trust; The Vestry and Church Wardens Of The Episcopal Church Of The Parish Of St. Matthew; The Vestry and Wardens Of St. Paul's Church, Summerville; Trinity Episcopal Church, Pinopolis; Vestry and Church Wardens Of The Episcopal Church Of The Parish Of Christ Church; Vestry and Church Wardens Of The Episcopal Church Of The Parish Of St. John's, Charleston County; The Vestries And Churchwardens Of The Parish Of St. Andrew, ..... Respondents,

v.

The Episcopal Church (a/k/a, The Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America); The Episcopal Church in South Carolina,  
..... Appellants.

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**MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL**

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that David Spence Cox (S.C. Bar # 66195) and Barnwell Whaley Patterson & Helms, LLC, on behalf of and with the express consent of The Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of South Carolina and The Trustees of The Protestant Episcopal Church, hereby move to be relieved as counsel for these Respondents in this action. We respectfully request that the Court enter an order to withdraw David Spence Cox as counsel of record for these Respondents and remove him from the electronic filing notifications in this action. Representation of The Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of South Carolina and The Trustees of The Protestant Episcopal Church will continue uninterrupted through counsel of record C. Alan Runyan, Andrew Spencer Platte, Henrietta U. Golding, Charles H. Williams, and C. Mitchell Brown.

Respectfully submitted,

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