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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Court of Appeals  
1015 Sumter Street  
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Re: *Greg Simmons v. Palmer Simmons*  
Appellate Case No. 2021-0375

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Thank you for your letter of May 18, 2022, in which you responded to my question regarding deposition transcripts used as exhibits to memoranda filed in the court below. I regret to say that I require a bit more guidance.

Your letter referred me to Rule 267(c), SCACR. In reading Rule 267(c), it states that “no photographic reduction of the Record on Appeal . . . is acceptable which reduces the size of the alphabet below that of pica type.”

My understanding is that this Rule would prohibit me (on behalf of appellants) from *reducing* the materials that form the record to a size below pica type. Please know that I have not reduced any materials. Rather, I have compiled the record materials as designated and filed with the circuit court. I filed the Record on Appeal with this Court on May 6, 2022.

Would you kindly let me know:

1. Whether the rules require me to enlarge the exhibits?
2. Whether the Record on Appeal as filed on May 6, 2022 is sufficient?
3. Or, whether I need to file a corrected record with enlarged exhibits?

I would appreciate your instructions as to what I need to do in order to comply with the rules, as I do not want to run afoul of them.

In the meantime, may the parties have additional time in which to file their final briefs, with ten days given from the date this guidance is issued and such steps are taken as this Court may require?

Many thanks for your assistance with this matter. Please do not hesitate to let me know if there is anything further that you require from me.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours very truly,

FORD WALLACE THOMSON LLC

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Ainsley F. Tillman". The signature is stylized and cursive.

Ainsley F. Tillman

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