

January 12, 2017

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Mr. Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk of Court
Supreme Court of South Carolina
P.O. Box 11330
Columbia, SC 29211

REF: Davis v. Leatherman, et al.

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

I wish to express my appreciation to your office for calling me late yesterday regarding the Supreme Court's favorable decision regarding my Motion for Leave to File an Amicus Curiae Brief in the above captioned matter. I truly appreciate the indulgence of the Court as well as the expedited timeframe for briefs. Given the short timeframe for filing a brief, I can only ask the Court to consider the points made in my Motion for Leave to File as they clearly express my position that the changes to Articles III and IV of the South Carolina Constitution made by the 2012 amendment take effect beginning with and subsequent to the 2018 General Election.

With warmest regards, I remain

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "COPY -" in a stylized, cursive-like font.

Larry A. Martin

cc. The Honorable Tom Davis
The Honorable Alan Wilson
The Honorable Jay H. Lucas

The Honorable Hugh K. Leatherman

The Honorable Henry D. McMaster

✓The Honorable Nikki R. Haley

The Honorable Luke A. Rankin

The Honorable F. Gregory Delleney, Jr.

The Honorable Mark Hammond