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Marci Andino, Executive Director  
South Carolina State Election Commission  
2221 Devine Street, Suite 105  
Columbia, SC 29205

**Re:   Dorchester County Republican Party, et ux. v. William C. “Bill” Collins**

Dear Ms. Andino,

On behalf of William C. “Bill” Collins, I am enclosing for submission to the South Carolina State Election Commission an original and one copy of Mr. Collins’ **Opposition to the Petition for Rehearing.**

Copies of these pleadings have been provided to Karl Bowers, Attorney for the Petitioners. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Thomas H. Hart III