IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE

DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA

ANDERSON DIVISION

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United States of America,

Plaintiff.

-VS-

John T. Ashley, Anderson County Supervisor and Chairman of the Anderson County Board of Commissioners; James H. Williams, Sheriff of Anderson County; J. Ed Crenshaw, Adger C. Davis, Fred Fields, W. B. Gray and O. O. Harper, Members of the Anderson County Board of Commissioners, Anderson County, South Carolina, a public body corporate,

Defendats.

MILLER C, FOSTER, JR., CLERK

ANSWER OF JAMES H. WILLIAMS, SHERIFF OF ANDERSON COUNTY

CIVIL ACTION NO. 69-739



The Defendant, James H. Williams, Sheriff of Anderson County, South Carolina, answering the Complaint of the Plaintiff, respectfully shows unto the Court and alleges:

- Denies each and every allegation of the Plaintiff's
 Complaint not hereinafter specifically admitted.
- 2. This Defendant admits the allegations contained in paragraphs one (1) and two (2) of the Complaint and admits substantially all of the allegations of paragraph three (3) except those allegations alleging that the Anderson County Board is charged with the responsibility of operating the jail and alleges that this Defendant, the Sheriff of Anderson County, is in charge of operating the Anderson County Jail and the Anderson County Board is in charge of operating the Prison Farm.
- 3. The Anderson County Jail is a modern jail built to the plans and specifications of the United States Bureau of Prisons.

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