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COUNTY COURT OF AND ERSON COUNTY, STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA SOUTH CAROLINA ANDERSON COUNTY Lutrelle H. Williamston, Plaintiff, DECREE vs. L. S. Williamston, Defendant.

This action for separate maintenance or a divorce, a mensa et thoro, was commenced by service of a Summons and Complaint on the Defendant on May 5, 1967. In her Complaint, the Plaintiff alleged that she was forced to separate from the Defendant because of the excessive use of alcoholic beverages. She further alleged that she was without funds with which to support herself or to pay attorneys fees and that the Defendant was gainfully employed and was able to and should be required to pay her a reasonable sum each month for her support. The Plaintiff stated that she felt that the sum of One Hundred Twenty Five (\$125.00) Dollars per month would have been sufficient to maintain her. The Plaintiff further requested that she be granted the exclusive use and possession of the house formerly occupied by the parties located in Anderson, South Carolina, and that she be granted possession of certain items of personal property. Thereafter, the Defendant filed his Answer in which he denied the material allegations of the Plaintiff's Complaint and interposed a counterclaim for divorce, a vinculo matrimonii, on the grounds of desertion for a period of more than one year. The Plaintiff filed her reply to the counterclaim denying the material allegations thereof.

The Plaintiff did not seek an Order and Rule to Show Cause for temporary support in this matter. The matter finally came before

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