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Dear Mr. Forney:

You have asked whether the service of process provided for by [Section 22-3-110 of the 1976 Code of Laws of South Carolina](#) is restricted to the service of process upon corporation or whether it applies to the service of process generally as provided for by Title 15, Chapter 9 of the Code.

[Section 22-3-110](#) provides:

The provisions of Title 15 respecting forms of actions, parties to actions, the times of commencing actions and the service of process upon corporations and the provisions of Title 19 respecting the rules of evidence shall apply to the courts of magistrates. (Emphasis added).

The above-referenced provision of law purports to apply only to the service of process upon corporations. Therefore, it is the opinion of this Office that only those provisions of Title 15 which govern the service of process upon corporations is authorized upon apparent authority of [Section 22-3-110](#).

I trust the preceding discussion adequately answers your question, however, if any further assistance is required, please feel free to contact me.

With best regards, I am
Very truly yours,

Richard P. Wilson
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