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May 20, 2013

V. Claire Allen, Deputy Clerk
The S.C. Court of Appeals
P.O. Box 11629
Columbia, SC 29211

RE: The State v. Susan Lynn Seay
Appellate Case No. 2013-000347

Dear Ms. Allen:

I am writing concerning the above referenced matter. I represented the defendant on a guilty plea. I filed the notice of appeal per her demand. I provided her with copies of the appellate rules and the court's contact information to pursue the appeal while encouraging her to hire an appellate attorney. I also informed her I was not aware of any basis for the appeal and she would likely receive no relief.

I have again contacted her concerning your May 9, 2013 letter and encouraged her to contact your office or myself concerning her intentions. I will contact the court if I am contacted by the defendant. I appreciate your time and attention to this matter. Please contact me at your convenience to discuss this matter.

Sincerely,

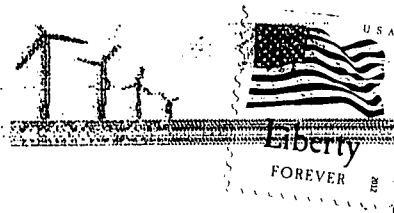
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