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October 27, 2022

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Re: James Wayne Miller v. State, Appellate Case No: 2022-000753

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Pursuant to the attached Supreme Court's order dated October 26, 2022, appointing you as counsel, I have enclosed the appendix in the above captioned case.

Our office will be associated with you in connection with this appeal for **costs of printing and binding only**, up to a maximum cost of ten (.10) cents per page and \$3.25 per volume for binding. Reimbursement for printing will only be for the quantity of documents required for this agency. You will be solely responsible for all aspects of the appeal, including printing and filing. However, this Office will obtain and furnish all necessary transcripts without cost to you or your client.

I need to stress that this Office cannot reimburse you for costs of transcripts which you order on your own. **In order for the state to bear the costs of transcripts, these must be ordered through the Office of Appellate Defense, and not by private counsel.**

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Sincerely,

Lindsey M. Matthews  
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S.C. SUPREME COURT

# The Supreme Court of South Carolina

James Wayne Miller, Petitioner,

v.

State of South Carolina, Respondent.

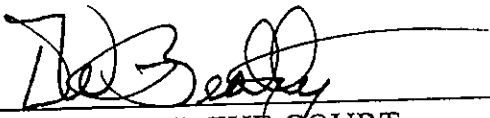
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## ORDER

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Counsel for Petitioner, Appellate Defender Sarah Shipe, has filed a motion for the appointment of outside counsel on the ground that the Commission on Indigent Defense, Division of Appellate Defense has a conflict of interest. There is no opposition to this motion. The motion is granted, and Ms. Shipe is hereby relieved as counsel for Petitioner. Ola Johnson, who represented Petitioner before the circuit court, is appointed to represent Petitioner in this matter. The Division of Appellate Defense shall remain associated for the limited purpose of paying for any necessary transcript(s) and providing copies of the petition, appendix, and briefs. Further, the request to hold the filing deadlines for the petition for a writ of certiorari and appendix is granted. Petitioner shall serve and file the petition for a writ of certiorari and the appendix within thirty days of the date of this order.

  
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FOR THE COURT C.J.

Columbia, South Carolina  
October 26, 2022

cc:  
William M. Blich, Jr., Esquire  
Sarah Elizabeth Shipe, Esquire