

December 30, 2022

Alonzo C. Jeter, III, #282902
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The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk, Supreme Court of South Carolina
Post Office Box 11330
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

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S.C. SUPREME COURT

Dear Honorable Clerk Howard:

Please find enclosed, correspondence to Cherokee County Clerk of Court - Brandy W. McBee, dated December 30, 2022, along with a Proof of Mailing.

Please find also an additional copy of the same along with a self-addressed stamped envelope. Please do stamp and return to me copies of these documents by way of the provided SASE.

*Note: This should not be construed as soliciting legal advice as this inquiry is simply one asking clarification of the ministerial duties as I am being informed that specific rules of Court are not what dictates, but rather the process differs depending on the County.

Thank you for your attention and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely, 

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RE: Procedure for Appointment of Counsel in Post Conviction Relief Matters

Dear Honorable McBee:

I write seeking that you will please inform me of the following:


When a PCR applicant files an application for PCR and the Office of Attorney General files its Return, but does not recommend an appointment of counsel, does the Common Pleas Judge or Circuit Judge take an independent second look for him/herself and make an independent determination as to whether counsel should or will be appointed or not? Or, is the Attorney General's recommendation/determination the final say in this regard? Secondly, exactly who places the motion for appointment of counsel before the Judge?

Please do answer both of these questions and please respond by way of a document which contains both the letterhead from your office as well as your signature.

Please find enclosed additional copy of this correspondence along with an self-addressed stamped envelope. Please stamp and return date stamped copy to me
Thank you for your attention.
Sincerely, Alonso C. Jeter, III

PROOF OF MAILING

I, Alonzo C. Jeter, III, hereby certify that I have mailed correspondence dated December 30, 2022, which is an inquiry as to who and how the ultimate and final determinations as to appointment of counsel in PCR cases are made. I further certify that this correspondence was placed inside of a postage prepaid envelope and said envelope then placed in the hands of Managing Correctional Institution's mail room personnel on this 30th day of December, 2022, for mailing via the United States Mail, addressed as follows:
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Post Office Box 2289, 125 E. Floyd Baker Blvd., Geffrey
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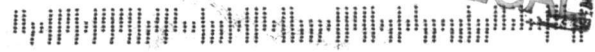
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