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Re: Robert E. Dillard v. State
Appellate Case No. 2022-000972

Dear Mr. Dillard:

Upon reviewing your appellant's initial brief, the following deficiencies have been noted under the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR), and each deficiency must be corrected within ten (10) days of the date of this letter or this appeal will be dismissed:

- The caption/title does not comply with Rule 267(a), SCACR. Specifically, the cover page must include the lower court judge and county, as well as your name and contact information.
- Your brief may only contain the contents listed under Rule 208(b)(1), SCACR. We cannot consider the attachments filed along with your brief as part of the appellant's initial brief. You must serve and file an amended appellant's initial brief omitting these documents. If you wish to include these documents in the record on appeal, you may list them in your designation of matter pursuant to Rule 209, SCACR.
- Your designation of matter must be filed as a separate document under Rule 209 of the SCACR.

- You must serve and file an amended appellant's initial brief and designation of matter that contain these corrections and comply with Rules 208 and 209 of the SCACR.

By copy of this letter, the respondent's counsel is advised that no further action will be taken on the request for an extension of time to serve and file the respondent's initial brief and designation of matter. The time for serving and filing the respondent's initial brief and designation of matter will expire thirty (30) days from the date of service of the amended appellant's initial brief.

Very truly yours,



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cc: Alan McCrory Wilson, Esquire
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