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May 15, 2023

The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings
Clerk, S.C. Court of Appeals
Post Office Box 11629
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Re: State v. Rebecca A. Maxwell
Appellate Case No. 2022-000474

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

On April 18, 2023, this Court granted our petition filed on March 22, 2023, asking for the case above to be held in abeyance pending receipt of an ex parte sealed hearing held on March 30, 2022. Thereafter, a request for a transcript of the same was submitted to the court reporter assigned to the case. Attached is a copy of the court reporter's notification sent via e-mail stating that no such ex parte hearing for the date requested has appeared in her records. Therefore, as of today's date, May 15, 2023, it is settled that all transcripts required for this appeal are in the case file.

Pending the Court's approval and lifting of the abeyance hold, we have reset our time limits in which to file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter to be included in the record for thirty days from today, with a new filing deadline of June 14, 2023.

Sincerely,

Wanda H. Carter

Deputy Chief Appellate Defender

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cc: William M. Blich, Jr.

From: Johnson, Penny <pjohnson@sccourts.org>
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Subject: [External] Re: The State v. Rebecca A. Maxwell

Della,

I have two ex parte hearings in front of Judge McLeod in Barnwell, March 28th and March 29th. Please let me know if this is not what you need. I don't have anything for the 30th.

Thank you!

Penny M. Johnson

Court Reporter III

2nd Judicial Circuit