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September 12, 2023

The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings  
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals  
1015 Sumter Street  
Columbia, SC 29201

RE: State v. Ricky Manigo Dawson – Appellate Case No. 2019-002107

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The above-referenced criminal appeal is scheduled for oral argument before this Court on today's date at 10:40 a.m. in Courtroom II. This letter is to alert the Court that undersigned counsel is currently experiencing significant issues communicating after being sick over the course of the last few days and has unexpectedly lost his voice as of yesterday evening and this morning, which will make it very difficult for the undersigned counsel to be able to participate in the oral argument as currently scheduled. As a result, the State respectfully requests the Court consider rescheduling the oral argument in the above-referenced case. I sincerely apologize for any inconvenience or issues this request will cause to opposing counsel, the appellant, the Court, and any others affected, and I further apologize for the late notice of this request. However, the undersigned counsel's current situation was unanticipated and occurred quite suddenly. Thank you very much for your consideration of this request, and, if you need any additional information or have any questions, please just let me know.

Sincerely,

Mark R. Farthing  
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General  
S.C. Bar Number 76901

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cc: Wanda H. Carter, Esquire

## Caroline Collins

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**From:** Caroline Collins  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 12, 2023 9:43 AM  
**To:** Carter, Wanda  
**Cc:** Kitchings, Jenny; Mark Farthing; Leverett, Scott  
**Subject:** The State v. Ricky Manigo Dawson (2019-002107)  
**Attachments:** Dawson.Letter Concerning Oral Argument Scheduled for Today (03385618xD2C78).PDF

Good Morning Ms. Carter,

Attached please find a letter concerning the oral argument scheduled for today in The State v. Ricky Manigo Dawson (2019-002107). This letter will be submitted to the South Carolian Court of Appeals via the AIS OneDrive System.

If you will, please confirm receipt.

Thank you!

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