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Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
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Re: Gladys Sims v. Amisub  
Appellate Case No: 2012-212956

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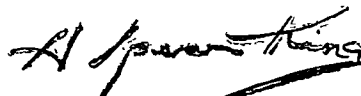
**SC Court of Appeals**

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

I have received notice that the above captioned case is likely to be heard by the Court during the week of December 9, 2013. Please be advised that I am scheduled to try a day certain case in Common Pleas, 7<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit, Spartanburg before The Honorable Mark Hayes. The case Bustos v. Giep, MD, et al was previously tried and resulted in a mistrial. The scheduling of this case has been difficult. In fact, Judge Hayes modified his trial schedule in order to accommodate this trial. Judge Hayes tried the case the previous time.

For these reasons, I respectfully ask that the arguments in Sims v. Amisub be transferred to another term.

Very truly yours,



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