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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
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Re: Alfredo Rocha, Appellant v. Harold J. Murdaugh, Jr., Respondent  
Graciela Rocha, Appellant v. Harold J. Murdaugh, Jr., Respondent  
Appellate Case No.: 2024-001298

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find email to the court reporter attaching the Transcript Request Form wherein we requested the transcript for the hearing held before Honorable Diane S. Goodstein on June 25, 2024 in Graciela Rocha v. Harold J. Murdaugh, Jr. and Alfredo Rocha v. Harold J. Murdaugh, Jr.

With kind regards, I am

Sincerely,

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**From:** Karen Sudlow  
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**Subject:** Transcript Request for case # 2022CP1801601 hearing on 6-25-24  
**Attachments:** Transcript Request Form for hearing on 6-25-24.pdf

Our office represents the Plaintiffs in case number 2022CP1801601. A hearing was held on 6/25/24 via WebEx before Judge Goodstein. Attached is a Transcript Request Form wherein we are requesting a copy of the transcript of the hearing held on 6/25/24.

If you need anything further, please let me know.

Thank you,

***Karen Sudlow***

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If no, does the requestor represent a party? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, name of party Graciela Rocha, Alfredo Rocha			
Transcript Information			
<b>Docket Number</b> 2022CP1801601	<b>Full Case Caption</b> (i.e. State v. John Doe or John Smith v. Jane Smith) Graciela Rocha v. Harold J. Murdaugh, Jr. and Alfredo Rocha v. Harold J. Murdaugh, Jr.		<b>Circuit</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Family</b> <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Date(s) of Proceeding</b> June 25, 2024	<b>County</b> Dorchester	<b>Appeal pending</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<b>Death Penalty</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Presiding Judge</b> Hon. Diane S. Goodstein		<b>Special Circumstances</b> Is the hearing to be transcribed one of the following: <input type="checkbox"/> Termination of parental rights <input type="checkbox"/> Adoption <input type="checkbox"/> Any actions involving child custody/visitation.	
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**Requestor's Signature:** Gedney M. Howe, IV **Date:** September 26, 2024  
(Typed name will serve as signature)

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