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ATTORNEY GENERAL

November 7, 2024

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
Post Office Box 11629
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

RE: The State v. Ri'Shon Keltarian Gilliam
2024-001400

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

In response to the Court's November 5, 2024 letter regarding the overdue transcript, our office discovered Mr. Black's initial request letter dated August 22, 2024 was never received by Court Administration. We apologize for this oversight. We have now submitted the initial request letter as well as the attached transcript request form today. We respectfully request the timelines related to the transcript be reset from today's date. By copy of this letter, I am notifying counsel for Respondent.

Sincerely,

Mark R. Farthing
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

MRF/cc

cc: Robert M. Dudek, Chief Appellate Defender (via electronic mail)
Jane Hawthorne Merrill, Esquire
Micah Black, Deputy Solicitor



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TRANSCRIPT REQUEST FORM

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Requestor's Information			
Full Name Micah Black	Law Firm/Agency Eighth Circuit Solicitor's Office	Phone Number (864) 366-5312	
Email Address mblack@greewoodsc.gov		Mailing Address PO Box 516, Greenwood, SC 29649	
Is the requestor a party in the case? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
If no, does the requestor represent a party? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, name of party State of South Carolina			
Transcript Information			
Docket Number 2023GS0100487	Full Case Caption (i.e. State v. John Doe or John Smith v. Jane Smith) The State v. Ri'Shon Gilliam		Circuit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Family <input type="checkbox"/>
Date(s) of Proceeding July 15, 2024	County Abbeville	Appeal pending <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Death Penalty <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Presiding Judge Frank R. Addy, Jr.		Special Circumstances 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.	
Opposing Counsel(s) (name and email address) Jane H. Merrill, jane@hmlawsc.com		Delivery Timeframe (check Rule 607 for current page rates) <input type="checkbox"/> Quote <input type="checkbox"/> Rough Draft <input type="checkbox"/> Overnight delivery <input type="checkbox"/> Daily delivery <input type="checkbox"/> Expedited delivery (7 days) Due on/before: _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Regular delivery (60 days)	
Court Reporter(s) Tara Scott	<input type="checkbox"/> WebEx <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DCRP	Delivery Method (additional fees may apply) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PDF / Email <input type="checkbox"/> Hard Copy/Priority Mail (\$50 + shipping) <input type="checkbox"/> PDF & Hard Copy/Priority Mail (\$50 + shipping)	
Portion of proceeding to be transcribed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Entire hearing <input type="checkbox"/> Voir dire by juror <input type="checkbox"/> Jury selection <input type="checkbox"/> Plaintiff's opening statement <input type="checkbox"/> Defendant's opening statement <input type="checkbox"/> Plaintiff's closing arguments <input type="checkbox"/> Defendant's closing arguments <input type="checkbox"/> Entire direct examination <input type="checkbox"/> Entire cross examination <input type="checkbox"/> Entire redirect <input type="checkbox"/> Examination of witness (W) by attorney (A) W: _____ A: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Ruling of the court		Responsible Payor <input type="checkbox"/> Private / Self <input type="checkbox"/> Court Appointed Counsel Appeals Attorney _____ Email _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other State of South Carolina	
Next Hearing Date _____			

Requestor's Signature: Micah Black **Date:** 11/7/2024
(Typed name will serve as signature)

NOTE: Requests will be processed pursuant to Rule 207 and 607 of the SCACR. Rule 607(h) governs the fees for transcripts, which are not provided for free or at reduced rates to **any** party, regardless of indigent status. Please promptly submit your payment in the method of payment requested, in order for the transcript to be produced. In some cases, a deposit may be required before the transcript can be placed in the production queue. You may also request a quote before deciding to order. **If you need to cancel the transcript request for any reason, you are responsible for paying for the pages of the transcript that have already been completed at the time of the cancellation.**

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