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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk of Court, S.C. Court of Appeals
via email

Re: State v. Shellie Lavette Davis, Appellate Case No. 2018-000366

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

This is to update the Court regarding the above referenced matter currently being held in abeyance during a remand for a hearing on appellant's battered spouse designation. An evidentiary hearing was held on July 29 – 30, 2024. The Court Reporter has obtained an extension to complete the transcripts of this hearing until November 30, 2024. Judge McLeod has requested a copy of that transcript before issuing his final order and currently has the matter under advisement pending receipt of the transcript. This office will update the Court by the end of December or as soon as the transcript is complete and Judge McLeod's ruling is final.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Gary H. Johnson", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Gary H. Johnson
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