

## Cover Letter

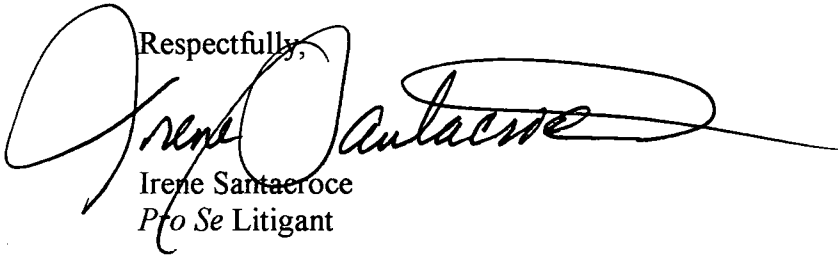
August 10, 2013

Dear Ms. Allen:

I sincerely apologize for not getting this response to you sooner. I have been under doctor's care for over a month now with shingles. I've been taking medication and very strong pain medicine, which has kept me virtually bed-ridden due to the extreme degree of pain.

I would appreciate you reconsidering your position in this matter, as I stated, the \$100.00 filing fee was paid with the documents when submitted, as requested.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Irene Santaeroce", written over the word "Respectfully,".

Irene Santaeroce  
*Pro Se* Litigant

Cc: James Spencer  
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Honorable Frank R. Addy, Jr.

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Attn: Ms. V. Claire Allen, Deputy  
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RE: James Spencer v. John Rakowsky  
Appellate Case No. 2013-001299

Dear Ms. Allen:

I received your letter on July 12, 2013 and I appreciate your looking into this matter, however, it still doesn't alter the fact that the fee of \$100.00 was paid and the documents were stamped, as required.

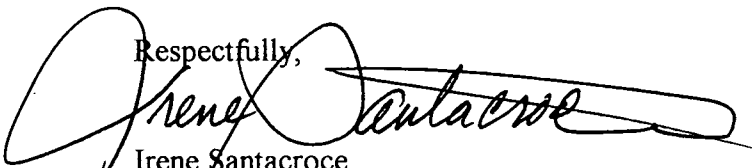
I have been filing paperwork for approximately eleven years and never have had this happen to me, in fact, I even made sure of what had to be done, by calling this office prior to submitting the Notice of Appeal.

Shortly thereafter, I received a letter from your office, asking me to correct my appeal notice, as I put too much information in it. I called your office and they explained it to me; I corrected the document and it was delivered to your office and again stamped.

As far as a receipt goes, I don't always get receipts on motions, etc. that I submit, as long as the documents are stamped received with the date, is all that is important. In fact, in all these years, I have never been able to submit any paperwork without having the filing fee submitted with the documents.

All I can tell you, Ms. Allen, is the \$100.00 filing fee was submitted with the Notice of Appeal and my documents were received and stamped as such.

Respectfully,



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