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Mr. Dan Shearouse  
Clerk of the S.C. Supreme Court  
ATTN: Debbie M. Hopkins  
S.C. Court Administration  
P.O. Box 11330  
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RE: Quincy J. Allen v. State of S.C.  
Case No. 2010-CP-40-3644

**S.C. Supreme Court**

Dear Mr. Shearouse,


Pursuant to *In Re Stays of Execution in Capital Cases*, 471 S.E.2d 140 (S.C. 1996), please accept this letter as a status report to Court Administration regarding this capital PCR case and the current stay of execution concerning Quincy Allen.

Mr. Allen filed the PCR application on June 2, 2010. Judge Newman was initially appointed. After Judge Newman withdrew, Judge Cothran was appointed. We are in the discovery process of the case. A competency to waive appeals hearing is scheduled.

I will file another status report with Court Administration, as is required by *In Re Stays*, in sixty (60) days.

Please contact me if you have any questions. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Chris Adams

CC: Michael Siem (by email)  
Donald J. Zelenka