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APPELLATE CASE No. 2024-000536

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I'm sending you this letter because I've received a letter from you on Mar, 30. It was an "order" that said pursuant to Rule 243(c) of South Carolina Appellate Courts Rules, this post conviction relief appeal is hereby transferred to the South Carolina Court of Appeals. I want to know if you could explain what it means and the whole process so I can have an understanding of what's going on, and what I need to do to prepare myself for it. I understand the order was related to the pro se filing so does the order mean that the court's see's grounds for a new trial? or some kind of relief? And does it mean the arguments I raised in my pro se filing set forth grounds for my case to be heard in the South Carolina Court of Appeals? ... Thank you for your help.

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Dear Mr. Chestnut:

This responds to your recent correspondence dated March 3, 2025, and received in this office today. The order you are referring to transferred your entire case to the South Carolina Court of Appeals, and your appeal remains pending at that court. Post-conviction relief appeals are routinely transferred to the Court of Appeals after all briefing is complete under Rule 243, SCACR. Any further questions or concerns should be directed to the Court of Appeals where your case is now pending. We are forwarding a copy of your letter to that court and to your counsel of record.

Sincerely,

Patricia A. Howard

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cc: The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings (with copy of correspondence)
Katherine Haggard Hudgins (with copy of correspondence)

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