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Dear Ms. Shealy:

As mentioned in my general update email, the federal district court denied a preliminary injunction yesterday. Mr. Stanko has appeal to the Fourth Circuit and filed a motion for expedited appeal and a motion for stay of execution pending appeal. SCDC and the Governor's office filed its response in opposition this morning. Please let me know if I should provide copies of these filings. I will advise when we have a ruling by the Fourth Circuit. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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