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**June 20, 2025**

The Honorable Patricia A. Howard  
Clerk of Court, Supreme Court of South Carolina  
P.O. Box 11330  
Columbia, SC 29211

**Re: Jonathan C. Newman v. State  
TRANSCRIPT UPDATE; ONE OF TWO TRANSCRIPTS RECEIVED  
Appellate Case No. 2025-000405**

Dear Ms. Howard:

The purpose of this letter is to provide an update on the transcript request in the above-referenced case. On April 9, 2025, Court Reporter Sallie B. Todd accepted the request for the PCR hearing transcript. Therefore, the transcript would be due on June 9, 2025, based on Rule 207(a)(1), SCACR. As of today's date, I have not received the transcript, nor have I received notification of an extension.

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As required by the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules, I will notify the Court upon receipt of the requested transcript.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

s/ Dayne Phillips

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cc: **Jonathan C. Newman**  
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**Court Administration**  
**Sallie B. Todd, Court Reporter**

**UPDATED: Transcript Request for Docket Number 2018CP1400233**

Courtney Powers <courtney@pricebenowitz.com>

To: "Todd, Sallie B." <sbtodd@sccourts.org>

Cc: Dayne Phillips <dayne@pricebenowitz.com>, Transcripts <transcripts@sccourts.org>

Good afternoon, Ms. Todd:

I am following up on the transcript for Jonathan Newman. I had his 60-day deadline calendared for 6/9/25. Please let me know if you plan to request an extension.

Thank you so much!

On Mon, Jun 9, 2025 at 11:13 AM Courtney Powers <courtney@pricebenowitz.com> wrote:

Good morning, Ms. Todd:

I am following up on the transcript for Jonathan Newman. Please let me know if you plan to request an extension.

Thank you so much!

On Mon, May 12, 2025 at 11:37 AM Courtney Powers <courtney@pricebenowitz.com> wrote:

Good morning,

I submitted the initial request through the transcript portal on March 13. After not receiving any communication, I followed up with the request on April 9 and I believe they resubmitted it as I wasn't really sure what I needed to do concerning letting the court of appeals know since they have it as being requested on March 13. I guess I could file a letter letting them know what

TranscriptPortal@sccourts.org

to me

Greetings,

Please accept this email and the summarized Transcript Request shown below as confirmation that the online transcript request that you submitted has been received by our office. It will be processed within five (5) business days with an estimated cost for production.

If you need further assistance, please contact us at transcripts@sccourts.org.

Regards,

Court Administration

Summarized Transcript Request: Request ID 1675621744

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Does the requester represent a party? Yes Jonathan Newman

**Transcript Information:**

Docket Number: 2018CP1400233

Court Type: Circuit

County: Clarendon

Case Caption: Newman, Jonathan Cody vs State of South Carolina

Appeal Pending? Supreme Court

Death Penalty? No

Start Date of Proceeding: 7/25/2024

End Date of Proceeding: 7/25/2024

Presiding Judge: Knie, Grace Gilchrist

Court reporter daily assignments:

7/25/2024 (Thursday): Todd, Sallie Beth, DCRP

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Next hearing date: *Date not entered*

Portion of proceeding to be transcribed: Entire Hearing

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On Mon, May 12, 2025 at 10:54 AM Todd, Sallie B. <sbtodd@sccourts.org> wrote:

In preparing the extension request it looks like this request was made on 4/9/2025 which would make the 60 days on 6/9/2025. Please check your records and let

Thanks,  
Sallie Beth

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From: Todd, Sallie B. <sbtodd@sccourts.org>  
Sent: Monday, May 12, 2025 10:38 AM  
To: Courtney Powers <courtney@pricebenowitz.com>  
Subject: Re: UPDATED: Transcript Request for Docket Number 2018CP1400233

Good morning,

I have not completed this transcript yet. I have submitted an extension request and will forward that to you as soon as I receive it.

If you need anything further, please let me know.

Thanks,  
Sallie Beth Todd

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From: Courtney Powers <courtney@pricebenowitz.com>  
Sent: Friday, May 9, 2025 1:41 PM  
To: Todd, Sallie B. <sbtodd@sccourts.org>  
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Good afternoon, Ms. Todd:

I have Jonathan Newman's 60-day deadline from the transcript request scheduled for Monday, May 12. I was just following up to see if you were requesting an extension or expecting t

Thank you for your time,

On Tue, Apr 15, 2025 at 12:48 PM <Transcripts@sccourts.org> wrote:  
Greetings,

You are receiving this notice for the summarized Transcript Request shown below because it has been Accepted by Court Reporter: Todd, Sallie Beth( sbtodd@sccourts.org )

Should you have questions or need further assistance, please contact us at transcripts@sccourts.org.

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