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The Honorable Patricia A. Howard  
Clerk, Supreme Court of South Carolina  
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S.C. SUPREME COURT

Re: *Timothy Ray Jones, Jr. v. State of South Carolina*, Case No. 2024-CP-32-01312

Dear Ms. Howard,

Pursuant to *In re Stays of Execution in Capital Cases*, 321 S.C. 544, 471 S.E.2d 140 (1996), and this Court's order dated March 27, 2024, I am writing to report on the status of the above referenced capital post-conviction relief case.

Mr. Jones' pre-hearing litigation is ongoing. On May 6, 2025, this Court reassigned exclusive jurisdiction to hear and dispose of this case to the Honorable Robert E. Hood. Judge Hood has been in correspondence with the parties and has set a status conference in this case for June 30, 2025. Counsel is currently conducting pre-hearing investigation.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me or Ms. Vann.

Sincerely,



Rosalind Major

The Honorable Robert E. Hood (via email)  
Melody J. Brown, Esq. (via email)  
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