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S.C. SUPREME COURT

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

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 investigation is ongoing. On October 16, 2025, the court and counsel convened for a status conference in this case. At the status conference, the court scheduled an in-person status conference for the first week of December 2025. Counsel is continuing their pre-amendment and 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)
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