

November 12, 2013

V. Claire Allen  
Deputy Clerk  
South Carolina Court of Appeals  
P.O. Box 11629  
Columbia, S.C. 29211

Re: State v. James C. Williams  
Appellate Case No. 2013-001875

Dear Mrs. Allen:

Enclosed, please find a copy of my November 12, 2013 letter to my appointed counsel.

I am requesting that you take action on this correspondence by filing the same in my appellate file. Your kind and courteous attention to this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you. Sincerely, I am,

James C. Williams, #282929  
Kershaw C.I., Unit MA-04  
4848 Goldmine Hwy  
Kershaw, S.C. 29067

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David M. Mauldin  
Assistant Public Defender  
407 ½ W. Main Street  
Lexington, S.C. 29072

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Appellate Case No. 2013-001875

Dear Mr. Mauldin:

I am writing to you to formally request that you prepare and forward a copy of the Appendix to me for my review before filing my brief. As your client, I am eager to participate in this process in a meaningful way, and so I would appreciate an opportunity to review the Appendix, and the brief you prepare, before you file them in the Clerk's office.

Also, I submitted a brief to you on October 21, 2013; please amend this into the brief you prepare for my review.

My strongest concern at this point has been your ~~lack of~~ communication. It is imperative that we communicate effectively about the issues in my appeal. I recognize your responsibility in the objectives and means of representation, but I am the client in this matter and reserve my authority to determine the purposes to be served by your legal representation. Therefore, I am requesting better communications on your part.

In closing, I thank you in advance for your time with this matter and look forward to hearing from you soon.

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cc: V. Claire Allen, Deputy Clerk  
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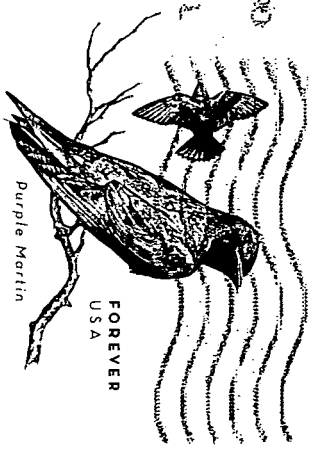
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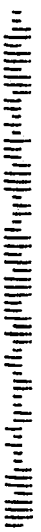
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