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November 5, 2025

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
Clerk of the South Carolina Court of Appeals  
P.O. Box 11629  
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Re: Christian J. Novellino

Breach of trust with fraudulent intent, value \$10,000 or more (2023GS4607222) & Breach/Obtain signature or property under false pretenses, value \$10,000 or more (2024GS4606611)

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find copies of the Notice of Appeal and Certificate of Service on the above captioned matter. Christian J. Novellino was found guilty at trial on November 5, 2025. Mr. Novellino appeals his/her sentence imposed by The Honorable R. Keith Kelly of 10 years active sentence on both above-mentioned charges and they will run consecutive. Mr. Novellino did receive credit for time served of 703 days. The court reporter was Aileen Butler.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Devon Nielson".

Devon Nielson  
Senior Public Defender

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Enclosures



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