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Re: The State v. Thomas E. McDowell
Appellate Case No. 2024-000226

Dear Counsel:

The Court may consider this case during the September or October 2026 terms of court. If this case is selected for oral argument, the Court will hold arguments on September 14, 15, 16, 17, and October 5, 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, and 15, 2026.

If you have a scheduling conflict with any of these dates, please advise the Court of the specific nature of that conflict by June 15, 2026. If you do not have any conflicts, a response is not necessary. Please email your conflicts to ctappfilings@sccourts.org and not to the individual appeals specialists.

Please note that although it is possible the Court may consider this case during the terms described above, this is the first time the case has appeared on the

preliminary list for argument and it will likely not be considered until another term in the near future.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jasmine D. Smith, Deputy". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "J".

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