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On Tue, Jul 28, 2026, 6:56 PM Minthia Bethea <minthiab@gmail.com> wrote:

Attached please find the above mentioned case no., Motion to Deny Relief of Counsel. A separate signed copy is also attached.

Any questions please feel free to contact me any time at (843)480-8694.

Harold Simmons, Jr.



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Motion to Deny Counsel's Motion to be Relieved as Counsel

1. The appellant moves for an order of Denial of the order of the Court relieving Belk, Cobb, Infinger & Goldstein, P.A., from further representation in this matter, and an order that the law firm continues to represent appellant Harold Simmons, Jr. from the lower court to the Supreme Court, as it was expressed from day one, from the year 2023. Although Thomas Goldstein asked the appellant how far he is willing to go. The appellant responded that he is willing to go all the way to the Supreme Court. In 2023 the appellant and a friend first meeting with Mr. Goldstein. The appellant hired the law firm to file his civil lawsuit against the City of North Charleston, which Mr. Goldstein agreed. But Mr. Goldstein kept stalling. The appellant told Mr. Goldstein if he filed the civil lawsuit, it would stop the harassment from the City of North Charleston. But Mr. Goldstein insisted on doing it his way, which got the appellant with a new charge.
2. The appellant was not warned in a timely manner, to be able to perform as Pro Se, to proceed as a professional.
3. The appellant is being billed for over \$23,000, and the appellant has made payments on this bill, to which Atty Goldstein agreed to and also collect payment out the civil lawsuits, in front of appellant and a friend of the appellant, as a witness.

With this all being said, I, the appellant, pray that the court will rule in my favor to deny the law firm of Belk, Cobb, Infinger & Goldstein, P.A., to be relieved of their obligation of representing the appellant, Harold Simmons, Jr.

Harold Simmons, Jr.

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