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September 14, 2026

The Honorable Jenny Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
1220 Senate Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Re: The State v. Quindaris K. Washington
Appellate Case No. 2025-001167

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please allow this letter to serve as a response to the Court's letter dated September 10, 2026, concerning Mr. Washington's letter to the Court indicating his desire to drop his appeal. This morning, I had a telephone conference with Mr. Washington. We discussed his reasons for wanting to drop his appeal. I explained the consequences of dropping his appeal, including waiver of any appellate issue the Court might find during its Anders review.

After discussing the matter with Mr. Washington, I am satisfied that he understands the consequences of dropping his appeal and that it remains his decision. I offered to give him more time to think about it, but he asked me to send this letter to the Court as soon as possible.

If the Court has any more questions or needs any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

David Alexander

c. Mark Farthing, Esquire
Client