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Re: Eric Lee Graham v. State
Appellate Case No. 2014-000284

Dear Counsel:

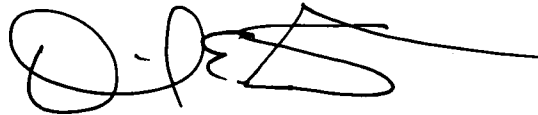
This Court has received your notice of appeal, and the case has been assigned the appellate case number that appears above. Please use this number on all future correspondence relating to this matter.

All parties to this matter are advised that all filings must comply with the requirements of Rule 267 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR). The SCACR are available online at www.sccourts.org/courtreg. Additionally, any filings submitted by counsel admitted in South Carolina must include counsel's bar number.

The attention of the parties is directed to the order relating to the inclusion of personal data identifiers and other sensitive information in documents filed with the Supreme Court of South Carolina and the South Carolina Court of Appeals. The order can be found at www.sccourts.org/courtOrders/HTMLFiles/2007-08-13-02.htm. Please note that the responsibility for insuring that information is redacted or sealed as required by this order rests with counsel and the parties. This office will *not* review filings for redaction or to determine if materials should be sealed.

I am, however, confused by your letter of February 6, 2014. Since this case involves numerous allegations of ineffective assistance of counsel, none of which appear to involve an allegation that petitioner is entitled to a belated appeal from a guilty plea under *White v. State*, I do not understand your reference to being unable to provide an arguable explanation under Rule 203(d)(1)(B)(iv), SCACR. I ask that you please confirm whether this reference and the related notice to your client about being able to submit a *pro se* response were sent in error.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of several loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

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cc: Karen Christine Ratigan, Esquire