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The Honorable V. Claire Allen
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Re: Motion to Dismiss Appeal of the Administrative Law Court's January 30, 2014 Order in *South Carolina Department of Correction, Appellant, v. Thomas J. Torrence, #094651, Respondent*, ALC Docket No. 12-ALJ-04-00143-AP

Dear Ms. Allen:

Enclosed for filing is the original and six (6) copies of Respondent's Motion to Dismiss the Appeal and Memorandum In Support in the above-referenced case.

Also enclosed is a proof of service of the Motion and Memorandum on counsel for Appellant.

I am cognizant that normally a fee of \$25.00 is required for the filing of motions. However, given the extraordinary circumstances surrounding this premature Notice of Appeal by Appellant (DOC), this Court may relieve a party from paying the filing fee pursuant to Rule 240(d), SCACR. I respectfully request a waiver of the motion filing fee under this section in light of the fact that S.C. Code Ann § 1-23-610(A)(1) (2009) does not allow Appellant to take an appeal at this time.

If this matter is not in correct form please advise me of any deficiency. As usual, your assistance in this matter is sincerely appreciated.

With kindest regards, I remain,

Sincerely,



Thomas J. Torrence
RESPONDENT, Pro se

Cc: The Honorable Deborah Brooks Durden (w/o attachments)
The Honorable Jana E. Shealy (w/o attachments)
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