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The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
Post Office Box 11629
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RE: State v. Donald M. Anderson
Appellate Case No. 2012-212499

State v. Michael D. Williams
Appellate Case No. 2012-212501

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

With regard to scheduling the above-referenced cases in June 2014, I had previously indicated that I may have a course to attend June 9-13, 2014. I have just learned that I was accepted to the National Attorneys General Training and Research Institute (NAGTRI) International Fellows Program. This program accepts only 6 attorneys from the United States every year. A total of 22 Fellows are chosen from around the world annually. Fellows will each produce an article and have the opportunity to discuss findings at a public panel discussion at a prominent law school. The course is scheduled for June 7-15, 2014, in Washington, DC, and New York City.

This is a demanding program, and it is a great honor to be selected. Therefore, if possible, I would greatly appreciate scheduling oral arguments in the above cases outside the week of June 9-13, 2014, so that I may take part in this exciting opportunity. Thank you very much, and if you have any questions or concerns or need any additional information, please contact me at (803) 734-3752.

Sincerely,

Mary S. Williams
Assistant Attorney General

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