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May 28, 2014

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**Re: *Marshall Miller, Petitioner, v. State of South Carolina, Respondent***  
**Appellate Case No. 2013-001076**

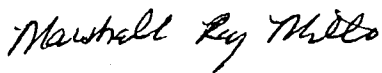
Dear Mr. Compton:

I am in receipt of the Supreme Court's May 12, 2014 Order relieving you as counsel and granting me pro se status (enclosed).

Based upon that order I am formally requesting that you turn over any and all files, transcripts, records, photographs or notes associated with this case, to me, via United States Mail, at the address above.

Your expediting this request will be deeply appreciated. If there are any problems, please contact me immediately.

Very truly yours,



Marshall Ray Miller  
**PETITIONER, pro se**

Cc: Robert Dudek, Esq.  
file

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South Carolina Office of Indigent Defense  
Division of Appellate Defense  
ATTN: Robert Dudek, Chief Appellate Defender  
1130 Lady Street, Suite 401  
Columbia, S.C. 29211

**Re: *Marshall Miller, Petitioner, v. State of South Carolina, Respondent***  
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Dear Mr. Dudek:

Please find enclosed a copy of the Supreme Court's May 12, 2014 Order regarding my proceeding *pro se* in the above-referenced petition for writ of certiorari, but associating the Division of Appellate Defense for the limited purpose of obtaining and paying for any necessary transcript(s) and records and providing copies of the petition, appendix and briefs. The order instructs [me] to communicate with your office to coordinate these services. That is the purpose of this initial correspondence. I understand that you will not handle this matter personally, but I would appreciate you placing me in contact with the individual that will be responsible for coordinating these matters with me.

I am not certain what records trial or PCR counsel has provided, or what your office (Appellate Defense) already possesses. If you could inform me exactly what your office has and intend to include, that would be a great help. It may also be easier on you if I tell you what records or orders I do have that will need to be included in the record/appendix that are relevant to the issues I include to raise in the petition. Below is a list of the documents I have to be included:

1. Protection Order (2006 - Judge Wyatt T. Saunders, Jr.)
2. Protection Order (2012 - Judge James Barber, Jr.)
3. Motion to Rescind the Sealed Order (2006)
4. Writ of Mandamus (2007)
5. Extradition Orders

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Below is a list of the documents I do not have that will need to be included:

1. Original Protection Order (2002 - Judge Wyatt T. Saunders, Jr.)
2. Amended Protection Order (5/7/2003 - Judge Wyatt T. Saunders, Jr.)
3. Written Plea Agreement Offer (2003) (Kim Varner file?)
4. Motion to Use Discovery - PCR (2013)
5. Rule 5 Motion (2001) (Kim Varner file?)
6. S.C. Department of Corrections Detainers

If you believe I have omitted something necessary, please include.

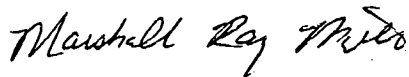
Once I receive a copy of the PCR transcript from your office I understand my time (30 days) to file the petition begins. It may be of benefit if you provide me a window within which I must have the petition to your office for copying, etc.

It may also be easier if I was allowed to call Appellate Defense to coordinate this matter.

I certainly appreciate the assistance and patience of your office in this unique matter. I shall endeavor to make this process as stress free as able from this end.

With kindest regards, I am,

Sincerely,



Marshall R. Miller  
**PETITIONER, *pro se***

Cc: John d. Compton, Esq.  
file

# The Supreme Court of South Carolina

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v.

State of South Carolina, Respondent.

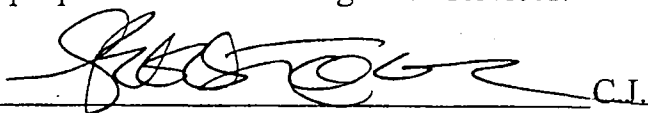
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## ORDER

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Petitioner moved to relieve counsel and proceed pro se in this matter. By order dated April 17, 2014, we informed petitioner of the dangers and disadvantages of proceeding pro se and gave petitioner twenty days from the date of the order to inform the Court if he still wished to proceed pro se after considering the information provided in the order. Petitioner has informed the Court that he wishes to proceed pro se. Accordingly, we grant the motion to proceed pro se and relieve petitioner's counsel. In addition, we hereby associate the Commission on Indigent Defense, Division of Appellate Defense, for the limited purpose of obtaining and paying for any necessary transcript(s) and records and providing copies of the petition, appendix and briefs. Petitioner shall communicate with the Division of Appellate Defense for the purpose of coordinating these services.



FOR THE COURT

Columbia, South Carolina

May 12, 2014

cc:

John D. Compton, III, Esquire  
Ashley Anne McMahan, Esquire  
Marshall R. Miller, #249557