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S.C. Supreme Court

The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk, S.C. Supreme Court
PO Box 11330
Columbia, SC 29211

Re Michael Henderson v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No. 2014-001254


Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The petition for writ of certiorari in the above case is due to be served and filed today. However, in preparing the appendix we have discovered that we need an additional transcript. Although I secured a copy of the lower court transcript some time ago, it is in a format—a four-page-per-sheet view—that I regrettably did not confirm to be in conformance with Court rules. We have requested the transcript of that testimony, and have enclosed a copy of that request with this letter.

Accordingly, I respectfully request that the time limits for filing the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case be held in abeyance pending receipt of the transcript. If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at your convenience.

By copy of this letter, I am informing Karen Ratigan, of the Attorney General's Office, of my request.

Sincerely,


Benjamin J. Tripp
Appellate Defender

cc: Karen Ratigan, Esquire