

The Supreme Court of South Carolina

The State, Petitioner,

v.

Robert Watkins, Respondent.

Appellate Case No. 2011-195272

ORDER

By letter dated December 19, 2014, the Clerk of this Court advised petitioner that he would not provide a recording of the oral arguments held in this matter unless a fee of \$20 was paid. See Order of Supreme Court dated April 18, 2007 (establishing fees for copying and other services) (www.sccourts.org/courtOrders/displayOrder.cfm?orderNo=2007-04-18-01).

Petitioner has now filed a request to be provided with the recording without the payment of the fee. He indicates that this recording is relevant to his pending post-conviction relief (PCR) case, *Watkins v. State*, 2014-CP-23-00589.

The *pro se* request is denied. Instead, if this recording is needed for the pending PCR case, then the recording will need to be requested by his counsel in that case.


C.J.
FOR THE COURT

Columbia, South Carolina
January 7, 2015

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