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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
Clerk  
South Carolina Supreme Court  
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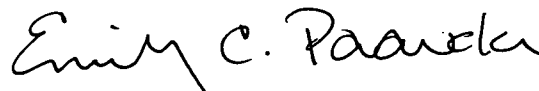
Re: *William H. Bell, Jr. v. State of South Carolina*, 03-CP-04-1857

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Pursuant to *In re Stays of Execution in Capital Cases*, 321 S.C. 544, 471 S.E.2d 140 (1996), I am writing to report on the status of the above-referenced capital post-conviction relief case. A hearing is expected to take place sometime in the spring 2015.

If you have any questions or require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely yours,



Emily C. Paavola