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March 6, 2015

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk of Court of Appeals
PO Box 11629
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Re: James R. Abbott v Michele Blank
Appellate Case No. 2014-002751

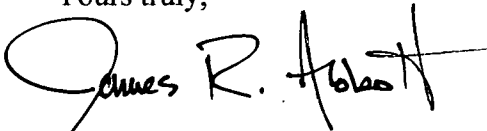
Dear Ms. Kitchings:

In regard to the above appellate case, I have enclosed a copy of email dated March 3 from Charlie Patrick, Law Clerk for J.C. Nicholson, Circuit Court Judge, to me. I had originally set the date for submittal of the Initial Brief for this case at 30 days past February 12, the day I received the email from Karen Andersen, Circuit Court Reporter stating there was no transcript.

It appears that the case will be reheard at a future date for the purpose of arguing it on the record.

I request the appeal to the SC Court of Appeals be temporarily put on hold pending the outcome of the rehearing and receipt of the transcript of same.

With kind regards, I am
Yours truly,



James R. Abbott
Appellant

cc: Frampton Durban, Jr., Esquire

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From: "J. C. Law Clerk Nicholson (Charles Patrick)" <JNicholsonLC@sccourts.org>
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Sent: Tuesday, March 3, 2015 9:00:07 AM
Subject: RE: 11/19/14 Abbott vs. Blank 2014-1303

Mr. Abbott and Mr. Durban,

It was due to an error by the Court that the Motion for Appeal was argued off the record. Judge Nicholson will be issuing an Order resetting this Motion for another Motions term so that it can be reheard on the record. —

Sincerely,

Charlie

Charlie Patrick

Law Clerk to The Honorable J.C. Nicholson, Jr.

Circuit Court Judge

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Sent: Thursday, February 12, 2015 3:44:31 PM
Subject: 11/19/14 Abbott vs. Blank transcript request

Hello, Mr. Abbott. I apologize that I'm just getting back to you on this. Your letter was delivered return receipt requested and I just got it this week. I reviewed my records and it appears that there is no record to speak of other than what I have below. I discussed this with his law clerk, Charlie, who confirmed that the judge denied the motion while we were out of the room on a five-minute recess. Please let me know if you would like anything further from me. Thank you.

Abbott vs. Blank

THE COURT: Let me see. We've got an appeal. Is that magistrate court; is that correct?

MR. DURBAN: Appeal and motion to dismiss also.

THE COURT: Who is here representing who?

MR. DURBAN: I represent the plaintiff, Michelle Blank.

THE COURT: The plaintiff; she's the respondent?

MR. DURBAN: She's the respondent in the appeal, yes, sir.

THE COURT: Mr. Abbott's the appellant?

MR. DURBAN: Yes, sir.

THE COURT: Give me a chance to look at the return.

Why don't you go ahead and take a break while I look at the return.?

Karen V. Andersen, RiviR, CRR

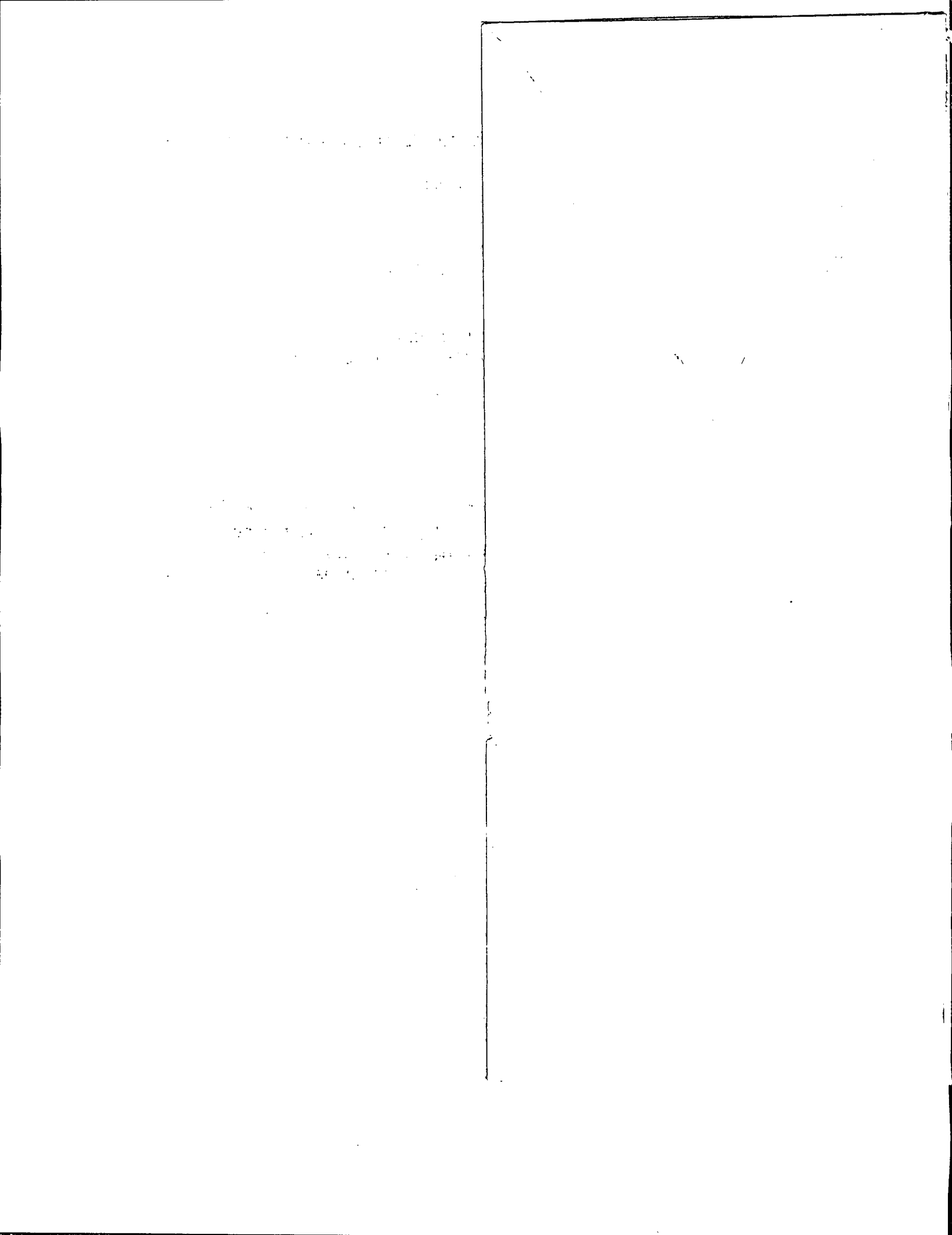
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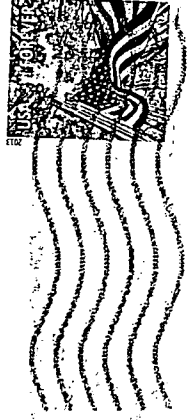
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