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Greetings,

To whom this may concern,

My name is Elijah Hudson #363313. I am an inmate of Broad River Corr. Inst. At 4460 Broad River Road Columbia, SC 29210. The reason why I'm writing you this letter is that I was instructed by my attorney Alicia DeGoode to write the Appellate court on an active case.

The state v. Elijah T. Hudson, of Richland County, South Carolina. Appellate Court No. 2015-000710. I was sentenced on 16, March 2015. I was instructed also by my attorney to write this letter to explain why my case should be overturned at this state of the present legal stage of the appellate circuit court.

Furthermore, this is my reason and that it should be overturned.

My attorney Alicia D. Goode did not release to me my rule 5 (motion of discovery) and did not request the motion of discovery in any such way.

There was no motion filed to have the rules (motion of discovery) handed over to my Attorney from the solicitor's office, until the month of trial. That is indeed against the constitution and South Carolina rules of court. South Carolina rules of court state that the solicitor has 14 days to release a rules (motion of discovery) to the Attorney of the defendant. And that is a violation of DO-PROCESS.

More the less, the courts must adhere under the rules and procedure. Failure to comply with these standards violates DO-PROCESS guide lines as well as the rules of court. Therefore, I did not have the opportunity to thoroughly study the motion of discovery and see what the state had against me in evidences and proper procedure of chain of custody, until after I had pled guilty and the hearing was over.

Therefore, my Attorney was ineffective on my behalf. IF I would have had my motion of discovery and my Attorney would have been effective, I would have not pled guilty on the charge. I do that I was done wrong and that prejudice was involved, why I do say that? Because I do believe that my attorney and the solicitor was in this with each other, like working for each other, by withholding my motion of discovery and running me in front of the judge without going over my motion of discovery.

Since I have been incarcerated, I have been trying to get my motion of discovery, my warrants even my transcript from my hearing also. However it was not a success.

In closing to my letter to you, this is all the reasons my case should be overturned. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely with kindest regards.

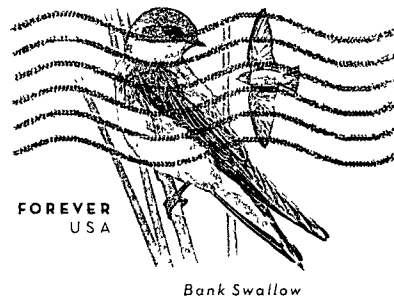
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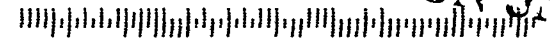
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