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S.C. SUPREME COURT

The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
Clerk  
South Carolina Supreme Court  
P.O. Box 11330  
Columbia, S.C. 29211

Re: *Stephen C. Stanko, SK6022 v. State of South Carolina*, 2014-CP-26-035

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 took place on March 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2015.

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

Sincerely yours,

Emily C. Paavola