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May 27, 2015

Mr. Don A. Thompson, Esquire
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Re: The State v. Giles Lee Palmer
Appellate Case No. 2015-000213

Dear Counsel:

This Court has received your explanation for appealing.

Please forward your explanation to your client, along with a statement that your client has twenty (20) days from the date of your transmittal letter to inform this Court in writing of any arguable basis that there are issues preserved for appeal. Please provide your client with the Court's address:

South Carolina Court of Appeals
P.O. Box 11629
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Please send your letter to your client within ten (10) days, with a copy to this Court.

This is the Court's second attempt and failure to comply may result in the dismissal of the appeal.

Very truly yours,

V. Claire Allen, Deputy

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June 1, 2015

Mr. Giles Palmer (SCDC # 00320627)
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Columbia, S.C. 29210

RE: The State -vs- Giles Lee Palmer
Appellate Case No: 2015-000213

Mr. Palmer:

I am enclosing a copy of a letter I received from The South Carolina Court of Appeals concerning your appeal:

The explanation I gave for your appeal was as follows:

"This appeal arises from a guilty plea entered by the appellant on September 2, 2011. Sentencing was held in abeyance to allow appellant the opportunity to cooperate with law enforcement in the identification, arrest and prosecution of alleged co-defendants. This cooperation evidently did not produce anything and on January 20, 2015, appellant was sentenced. Prior to sentencing appellant made a motion to be allowed to withdraw his guilty pleas. This motion was denied. I do not believe that there is a viable issue for appeal but Mr. Giles instructed me to file an appeal so that is what I have done."

As you will see in the letter the Court of Appeals is giving you twenty (20) days from the date of my letter to you, to inform the Court in writing of any arguable basis that there are issues preserved for appeal.

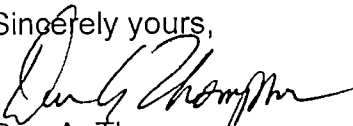
As you can see in the letter the Court's address is:

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Please pay strict attention to the deadline of twenty (20) days and make sure to include in your letter anything that you think is an appealable issue.

Sincerely yours,



Don A. Thompson

cc: The South Carolina Court of Appeals

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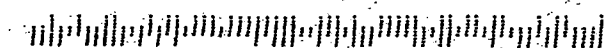
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