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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Supreme Court
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RE: Israel Wilds v. The State
Appellate Case No. 2014-001191

S.C. SUPREME COURT

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The above captioned matter is scheduled for oral argument on Thursday, September 24, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. My 85 year old father is scheduled for major surgery to remove a portion of his pancreas and all of his spleen the day before; September 23, 2015. In my thirty-six years practicing before the Supreme Court I can't recall ever asking for an oral argument to be rescheduled. I do so now reluctantly. Dad will be in ICU for two or three days. I am an only child and my mother, who no longer drives, is nearly 80. Under the circumstances, I would ask that this oral argument be rescheduled for another term. I have spoken with opposing counsel, David Spencer, concerning this matter, and he has graciously consented to this request. I would deeply appreciate this consideration, and everyone's prayers, during this difficult time. I remain,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tara Dawn Shurling". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name being the most prominent.

Tara Dawn Shurling
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cc: David A. Spencer, Senior Assistant Attorney General