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Ms. Jenny Abbott Kitchens
Clerk of court
Post-office Box 11629
Columbia, South Carolina, 29211

RE: state of South Carolina V Arnold Lea Ward
case No: 2007-GS-26-00418
Appellate case No: 2015-002107

Dear Ms. Jenny Abbott Kitchens,

This is in response to a letter recieved from your office on December 14, 2015 requesting the following... Please find enclosed for filing in your office the original copy of a [**motion requesting permission to order the transcript out-side of the filing deadlines set by rule 207 of the South Carolina Appellate Rules**]... Aswell, A copy of the letter requsting such transcript from the court reporter and/ or [**stenographer**] of the Horry county courts proceedings...

I would like to take the time to thank you and your office in advance for any and all assistance that may be provided in this matter....

Respectfully Submitted,


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Ms. Grace L. Hurley
c/o Ms. Dixie C. Eubank
Post-office Box 2194
Murrells Inlet, South Carolina, 29576

RE: state of South Carolina v. Arnold Lea Ward
Case No; 2007-GS-26-00418

Dear Ms. Grace L. Hurley,

On September 1, 2015, The above case, a (**Motion for after-newly discovered evidence**) was heard and denied in the Horry county courts by the Honorable Judge Benjamin H. Culbertson, a fifteenth circuit judge of George Town county... My records indicate that you [**Ms. Grace L. Hurley**], was the court reporter and/or [**stenographer**] for this case...

I respectfully request you and your office provide me with a transcript of the proceedings... I request this under the Freedom of information Act, South Carolina code of Law, section: 30-4-30 and United States code Annotated, in title #15, section: 552... Aswell, I request that you and your office please transcribe the entire record...

I will NOT be able to pay the per page charge for this transcript and file this under indigent status pursaunt to South Carolina Appellant Court Rule, section: 240 (d) - [**A filing fee shall not be required for motions and/or petition filed in criminal Appeals**]...

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**APPLICATION TO PROCEED WITHOUT PAYMENT
OF COSTS AND AFFIDAVIT
IN SUPPORT THEREOF.**

I, Arnold Lea Ward, hereby apply for leave to proceed in this action without prepayment of fees or costs or security therefor. In support of my application I declare under penalty of perjury that the following facts are true:

- (1) I am the applicant in this action and I believe I am entitled to redress.
- (2) Because of my poverty I am unable to pay the costs of said proceeding or give security thereof.

Arnold Lea Ward
Applicant

SWORN or affirmed to and subscribed before me this
18th day of December, 2015.

Debbie L. McCorkle
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: July 10, 2024