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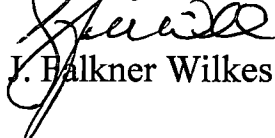
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Re: Ruby Lee Rice v. William Tobias and Elena Tobia,
Appellate Case No.: 2014-002349
Circuit Court Case No.: 2004-CP-23-03000

Dear Ms. Kitchings,

This is a monthly update on the status of the proceedings in the circuit court during the stay of the appeal. A hearing was held on December 8th on a motion to dismiss which would moot the case if granted. The court took the matter under advisement but then reset a second hearing for February 9th. As this may moot the appeal I will await the results of that hearing. I will update the court once a ruling has been issued.

Sincerely,


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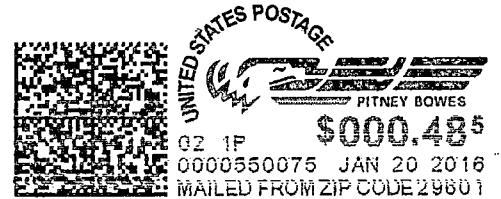
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