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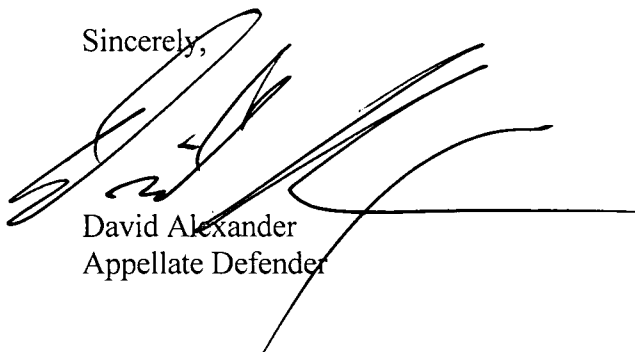
Re: The State v. Ricky Lee Blackwell – Appellate Case No. 2014-000610

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Enclosed are the original and 14 copies of the Sealed Final Brief of Appellant and Redacted Final Brief of Appellant, pursuant to the Supreme Court's Order of May 20, 2015, in the above-entitled case, which I have filed today with this Court.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



David Alexander
Appellate Defender

DAA/ssd

cc: Melody J. Brown, Esquire (with enclosures)

Enclosure