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RE: Appeal

Mr. Taylor:

Enclosed you will find a copy of the letter received from the South Carolina Court of Appeals, for your records. Should you have any questions or concerns feel free to contact myself or Mr. Chehoski.

Yours Truly,

Gale Ethridge

Paralegal for Jason Chehoski

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Mrs. Abbott Kitchings

I really do not understand why I have to write this or really what I am supposed to be saying without proper legal advice as you can see I am at Kirkland R+E and do not have access to the law library at this time. I did not receive a copy of my public defender, Mr. Chehoski's explanation for appeal. Enclosed is the letter I received from Mr. Chehoski's paralegal. I would ask for more time but I have no idea of how long I'm gonna be here, so I'm gonna do this to the best of my ability. I do not understand what records of mine y'all have asked for. I asked Mr. Chehoski to appeal the time I received. Mostly in part on the grounds that my counsel was ineffective in my representation. I was arrested on 6-12-15 for Criminal Conspiracy + Distribution Crack 3rd that both happened on 3-27-15. Both charges in my eye's where bogus because the distribution was in fact my codefendant's and the conspiracy came from me being at my residence minding my business not even taking part in nothing. The charges was used as a tool to keep my bond raised so that I couldn't get out and get the proper legal help I needed. I was never given my preliminary hearing for any of my charges period! Both of these charges where dropped after I plead guilty to a distribution 2nd from 4-20-15 but I have no warrant for this charge. I was served a distribution 3rd on 6-26-15 by patrol officer Eugene Hammill that says the affiant Jody Putney states that on 3-27-15 in the 1300 Block of sunset Blvd I distributed marijuana not crack. Ofc. Hammill must have figured something was wrong with the warrant so he went to another judge on 6-27-15 and got a new warrant issued. Now it's stating that he's the affiant and that on 3-27-15 on the 1300 Block of Sunset I distributed crack. My thing is how can a patrol officer that knows nothing about my case get my warrant fixed. Then the date of my warrant 3-27-15 don't match my motion of discovery date 4-20-15. I feel as though I was given to much time for example Phillip McCoy has a record just like mines and he plead to two distribution 2nd's and took a 0-30 and got 3 years. Albert Clark plead to one distribution 2nd 0-30 has a record like mine a got 30 years suspended to 18 month's with 3 years PWP. At the last minutes mr. Chehoski showed me at the top of my sentence sheet my 0-30 was changed to 5-30 when I thought there was no mandatory minimum on first or second offences distribution. Lastly I should have never had a public defender due to the fact my codefendant is represented by Sarah Mauldin also a public defender which is a conflict of interest. I pointed that out to Mr. Chehoski several time. I hope this is what I was suppose to send.

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Respectfully
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