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Re: The State v. Drayton, Lloyd J.
2012209449

Dear Mr. Drayton:

It has come to our attention from the Office of Appellate Defense that this is an appeal from a guilty plea. Rule 203 (d)(1)(B)(iv), SCACR, requires you to provide "a written explanation showing that there is an issue which can be reviewed on appeal. This explanation should identify the issues(s) to be raised on appeal and the factual basis for the issue(s) including how the issue(s) was raised below and the ruling of the lower court on that issue(s). If an issue was not raised to and ruled on by the lower court, the explanation shall include argument and citation to legal authority showing how this issue can be reviewed on appeal". Failure to make a sufficient showing may result in dismissal of this appeal.

The explanation should be served and filed within fourteen (14) days of the date of this letter.

Please be advised the time limits for ordering the transcript are held in abeyance.

Very truly yours,

V. Claire Allen

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