

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Supreme Court

Appeal From Charleston County
Court Of General Sessions
R. Markley Dennis, Jr., Judge
Indictment No.: 2012-GS-10-3387 , et

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S.C. SUPREME COURT

APPELLATE CASE NO. : 2012 - 212760

The State

Respondent

vs .

Alan L. Burns

Appellant

REQUEST TO TRANSFER CASE

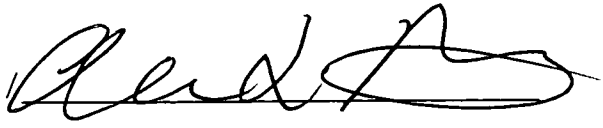
COMES NOW the Appellant above named , who do hereby move
This Most Honorable Court to transfer the petition for a writ
of certiorari , which has been filed in the above referenced
Appellate Case Number case to the court of proper jurisdiction ,
if jurisdiction is not This Most Honorable Court's jurisdiction..

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT this motion is filed pursuant to
Rule 204 , SCACR .

PLEASE TAKE ADDITIONAL NOTICE THAT this motion is based
on the fact that court appointed Appellate Defense Attorney
Ms. Susan B. Hackett and the Office Of Appellate Defense , has
closed their file on the above reference case and has , therefore
ABANDONED and **DISAVOWED** themselves from further involvement
in this appeal .

I SO MOVE :

DATED : July 5, 2016

S/ 

Alan L. Burns , # 143218
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Appellant , pro se



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June 16, 2016

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Re: Your case

Dear Mr. Burns:

Enclosed is a copy of the opinion of the Court of Appeals affirming your conviction. Please be advised that our office will be closing your case along with this letter.

Please be aware that there is a **one year statute of limitations for filing an application for post-conviction (PCR) relief**. This is one year from the date of the enclosed opinion. This statute of limitations is **very strictly enforced**, so please be sure that **you** comply with it. Please understand *it is your responsibility alone to be sure this PCR application is timely filed*. **This application must be filed with the clerk of court in the county of your conviction**. There is also now a **one year statute of limitations for filing for federal habeas**. However, you must **exhaust your PCR claims** in state court, before raising them in federal court.

Please be aware that the time between your direct appeal becoming final, and the date your PCR application is filed **will count against your federal habeas statute of limitations in the future**. I do wish you the best. Feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Susan B. Hackett
Appellate Defender

SBH/smf

Enclosure: Post-Conviction Relief Application

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

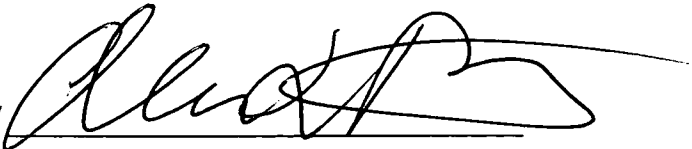
The State Respondent ,
vs .
Alan L. Burns Appellant .

Appellant above named hereby certifies that a true copy of the ' REQUEST TO TRANSFER CASE ' has been served on the Respondent by depositing same in the United States Mail , addressed as follows :

Office Of The Attorney General
For The State Of South Carolina
Post Office Box 11549
Columbia , SC 29211 - 1549

This 5th day of JULY 2016 .

I SO CERTIFY :

S/ 

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