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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
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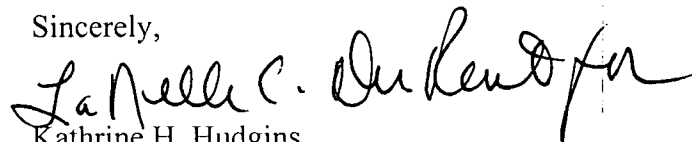
Re: The State v. Norman Lee Mitchell
County: Richland
Indictment: 08-GS-40-1238, 1239
Judge: Casey L. Manning
Trial Date: February 6, 2009

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Petition for Writ of Certiorari and accompanying appendix are due to be served and filed with the Court today. However, because of my heavy workload at this time, I am requesting a thirty day extension in which to serve and file the petition.

By copy of this letter, I am informing Deborah R. J. Shupe, Esquire, of the Attorney General's Office, of my request.

Sincerely,



Kathrine H. Hudgins
Appellate Defender

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cc: Court of Appeals
Deborah R.J. Shupe, Esquire