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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
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RE: Ernest Bliely, Appellant v. Linda Robinson  
Appellate Case No. 2016-01275

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

I reference your letter to me of August 24, 2016 regarding the above-referenced matter. Our office received a copy of the transcripts from the court reporter via email on August 5, 2016. Our office received the hard copies of the transcripts on August 9, 2016. We intend to file and serve our initial brief by September 2, 2016.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'James A. Merritt, Jr.' followed by a circular flourish.

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