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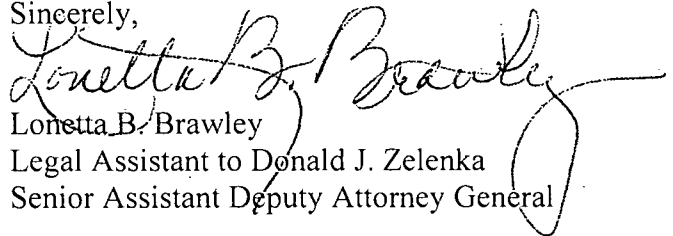
Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court
P. O. Box 11330
Columbia, SC 29211

Re: The State v. Luzenski Allen Cottrell
Death Penalty Appeal
Appellate Case No. 2015-000731

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Enclosed please find the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter in the above-referenced matter for filing. By copy of this letter, I am serving opposing counsel with same.

Sincerely,


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Enclosure

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