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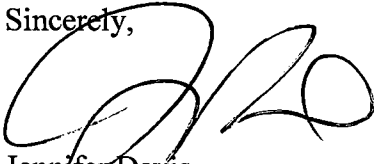
Re: The State vs. Maurice Antwon McCreary  
Case Numbers: 2012-GS-40-05997, 2012-GS-40-05998, 2012-GS-40-06000,  
2012-GS-40-06001, 2012-GS-40-06003, 2012-GS-40-06004  
Case Tracking Number: 2016-001846

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed please find a copy of my correspondence to Maurice Antwon McCreary per the Court's request.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at (803) 765-2592 ext. 120. Thank you for your assistance in this matter. With kind regards, I am

Sincerely,



Jennifer Davis  
Richland County Public Defender's Office  
Attorney for Appellant

Enclosure

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RE: State v. Maurice Antwon McCreary

Dear Mr. McCreary:

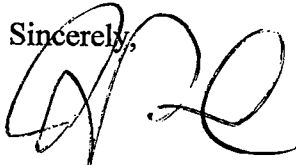
Enclosed please find a copy of a letter from the Court of Appeals dated September 22, 2016 and received in my office on September 23, 2016. I am forwarding this correspondence to you at the direction of the Court. I am also enclosing a copy of the Notice of Appeal, Statement of Basis for Appeal from a Guilty Plea and Proof of Service. These documents are referred to as the "letter of September 22" in the Court of Appeals letter that I am providing to you.

I have been instructed to inform you that you have twenty (20) days from the date of this letter in which to provide the Court **in writing** of any arguable basis that there are issues preserved for appeal from your guilty plea. You must submit your issues preserved for appeal to the following address:

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Because I am unsure of what has been made available to you, I have enclosed an envelope and paper to ensure you have the necessary materials to comply with the Court's request. The appellate courts are very strict in regard to filing matters in a timely fashion. Therefore, you should be careful to observe and comply with the time limits set forth by the Court.

Sincerely,



Jennifer Davis  
Deputy Public Defender

Enclosures

Cc: South Carolina Court of Appeals  
Chief Appellate Defender Robert Dudek



# The South Carolina Court of Appeals

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September 22, 2016

Ms. Jennifer C. Davis, Esquire  
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Re: The State v. Maurice A. McCreary  
Appellate Case No. 2016-001846

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Dear Counsel:

This Court has received your explanation for appealing.

Please forward your explanation to your client, along with a statement that your client has twenty (20) days from the date of your transmittal letter to inform this Court in writing of any arguable basis that there are issues preserved for appeal. Please provide your client with the Court's address:

South Carolina Court of Appeals  
P.O. Box 11629  
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Please send your letter to your client within ten (10) days, with a copy to this Court, or this appeal may be dismissed.

Very truly yours,

*Jenny Abbott Kitchings*

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Case Nos. 2012-GS-40-05997, 2012-GS-40-05998, 2012-GS-40-06000,  
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The State,.....Respondent,

v.

Maurice Antwon McCreary,.....Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

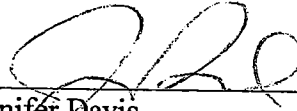
Maurice Antwon McCreary appeals his conviction and sentence in this case. He pled on January 6, 2014 before the Honorable Robert E. Hood. A Motion to Reconsider was filed on January 14, 2014 and denied on March 6, 2015. Defendant was unaware the Motion to Reconsider was denied until Defense received actual notice of the denial on June 30, 2016. A Motion to Clarify Motion to Reconsider was filed on July 5, 2016. An Order from the Motion to Clarify was filed on July 27, 2016 by the Honorable Robert E. Hood. A Motion to Withdraw Guilty Plea was filed August 5, 2016. On September 1, 2016 Defendant withdrew the Motion to Withdraw Guilty plea on the record before the Honorable Robert E. Hood.

Defendant believes the Notice of Appeal is still timely under South Carolina Appellate Court Rule 203 (b)(2).

- 2012-GS-40-05997 – Attempted Murder – 30 years concurrent, credit for time served.
- 2012-GS-40-05998 – Attempted Murder – 30 years concurrent, credit for time served.
- 2012-GS-40-06000 – Attempted Murder – 30 years concurrent, credit for time served.
- 2012-GS-40-06001 – Unlawful Killing of a Police Dog – 5 years consecutive to sentence on 2012-GS-40-005997, 2012-GS-40-005998, 2012-GS-40-06000, 2012-GS-40-06003, and 2012-GS-40-06004, credit for time served.
- 2012-GS-40-06003 – Attempted Murder – 30 years concurrent, credit for time served.
- 2012-GS-40-06004 – Attempted Murder – 30 years concurrent, credit for time served.

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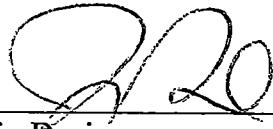
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**STATEMENT OF BASIS FOR APPEAL FROM  
GUILTY PLEA PURSUANT TO RULE 203(d)(1)(B)**

Pursuant to South Carolina Appellate Court Rule 203(d)(1)(B), the Defendant is appealing the denial of the motion to reconsider sentence.

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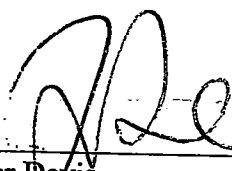
v.

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**PROOF OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true copy of the Notice of Intent to Appeal & the Statement of Basis for Appeal from Guilty Plea Pursuant to Rule 203(d)(1)(B) in the above-referenced case has been served upon opposing counsel by delivering same this date to his office at the Office of the Solicitor, Fifth Judicial Circuit, Richland County Judicial Center, 1701 Main Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29201.

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