



August 23, 2016

Deante Wittich, #367605
Lee Correctional Institution
990 Wisacky Hwy
Bishopville, SC 29010

Re: Appeal, State v. Wittich

Dear Deante-

After long last we have finally received the transcript of your guilty plea held on March 30th here in Columbia. I apologize for having it take so long to be obtained but here it is now. I am enclosing a copy for you.

I am sorry to say, however, that on review it does not show any grounds for appeal of your sentence by Judge Cothran. There is one issue about the facts as recited by the Assistant Solicitor, see page 9, were you said they weren't correct. The Judge did inquire and clarified the situation about mentioning the Garner's Ferry address; I just do not think this however will allow a new sentencing as it did not affect the voluntariness of your guilty plea. I do not think it would rise to what is required as a 'reversible error'.

I will be filing, therefore, a 'no-merit' brief with the South Carolina Court of Appeals. You will be allowed to file any opposition to this.

I am sorry that I cannot continue to assist you in this matter.

Yours Very Truly,

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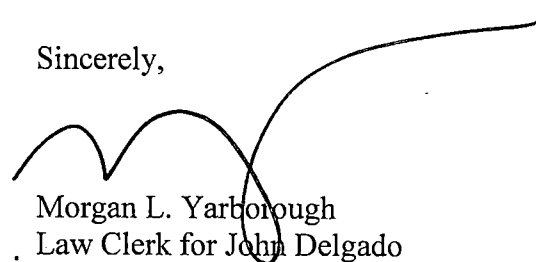
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Re: The State v. Deante Dominic Ali-Wittich
Appellate Case No.: 2016-000732

Dear Ms. Allen:

We received the transcript for the abovementioned case. Please find attached a copy of the letter sent to Deante Wittich informing him of receipt of transcript, as well as, a copy of the transcript.

Sincerely,



Morgan L. Yarborough
Law Clerk for John Delgado

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