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Re: Eriva Youomous v. State  
Appellate Case No. 2016-001889  
Lower Court Case No. 2014CP4005460

Dear Counsel:

The long-standing policy of this Court has been to use the spelling of the parties names used in the order under appeal. From the information that you have provided, along with the fact that the South Carolina Department of Corrections and the Public Case Index for Richland County both show the spelling as "Youmous," you may very well be correct that the spelling used in the order on appeal is erroneous.

I would encourage you to confirm with your client how he spells his name. If, after conferring with you client, it appears that the order contains a scrivener's error regarding the spelling of your client's last name, I would encourage you to proceed

as provided by Rule 60(b)(1) of the South Carolina Rules of Civil Procedure to correct this error.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of several loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

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