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Re: Ernest Battle # 165247
Appellate Case No. 2016-002412

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Dear Clerk:

In response to your letter dated December 6, 2016, enclosed please find a true copy of proof of service of Notice of Appeal to the Administrative Law Court as required by Rule 203(b)(6), SCACR, and Order/Judgement challenged on appeal. This appeal is brought pursuant to Al-Shabazz v. State, 338, S.C. 354, 527 S.E.2d 742 (2000)., which states that the filing fee will be assessed only for the third and subsequent appeals filed by an inmate during a given calendar year. This is my first appeal within the calendar year.

Respectfully submitted,

Ernest Battle
Ernest Battle, #165247