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Re: George Hood v. Jasper County  
 Appellate Case No. 2015-000310

Dear Ms. Kitchens:

I am writing in response to the Court's notice that this case may be scheduled for hearing in May 2017. Of the dates provided, I am not available to argue the case May 9 due to a previously scheduled engagement.

With highest regards,

Sincerely,

for Christopher W. Johnson

CWJ/ns

cc: Nancy Bloodgood, Esq.  
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