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Via Hand Delivery

Robert Dudek
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P.O. Box 11433
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Re: State v. John Smart
Case No(s): **2000-GS-14-0356**

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Dear Bob:

Enclosed please find a copy of the Notice of Appeal in the above matter. The Court Reporter's name and address at the Re-Sentencing Hearing on the LWOP sentence on Jon Smart on May 25, 2017 in Lee County is as follows:

Frances Ray
2216 Timberlane Drive
Florence, SC 29506

The Court Reporter's name and address at the hearing on August 10, 2017 in Clarendon County when Judge Brown read his order in the record is as follows:

Margaret Sullivan
504 Henderson Street
Sumter, SC 29150

Also enclosed are copies of our letters to the Court of Appeals, Clarendon County Clerk of Court, Third Circuit Solicitor as well as Proof of Service on all parties involved.

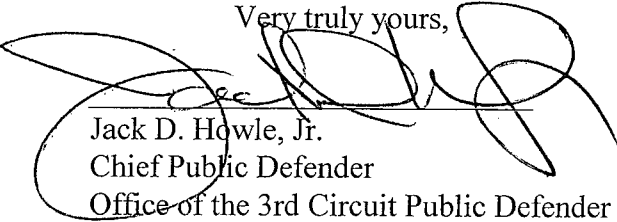
The original sentence was of LWOP and was given by Judge Tommy Cooper on August 9, 2001. The negotiated sentence had been accepted by Judge Cooper on May 25, 2001. The transcript of both of these are attached.

Judge Craig Brown heard the Motion for Re-Sentencing in Lee County on May 25, 2017 and issued his Order in Court in Clarendon County on August 10, 2017. The names and contact

information for the Court Reporters for both of these hearings are provided in this correspondence.

Please let us know what further service we can be in this matter.

Very truly yours,

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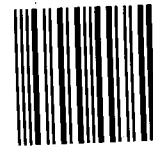
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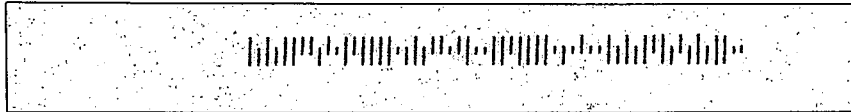


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