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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk, Supreme Court of South Carolina
Post Office Box 11330
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Re: Shonta Helton v. State of South Carolina
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Sincerely,

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cc: Robert M. Pachak, Esquire

In compliance with:

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