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Mr. Ronald Griggs
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Re: Billy J. Griggs v. State
Appellate Case No. 2017-001350

Dear Mr. Griggs:

This responds to your recent letter regarding the above case. Please be advised that this Court cannot consider this *ex parte* communication about this case.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Tommy Arthur Thomas, Esquire (with copy of correspondence)
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