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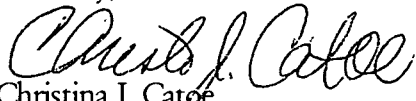
RE: State of South Carolina v. James R. Byers
Appellate Case No. 2011-190694

Dear Ms. Allen:

I am in receipt of your letter indicating that the above-referenced case will likely be considered during the March 2013 term of court. It is possible that I will still be on maternity leave during the first week of March. Therefore, I would greatly appreciate it if the Court would consider scheduling this argument on either March 12, 13, or 14, 2013.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and please do not hesitate to contact me at (803) 734-3713 should there be any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,


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