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Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk of Court
South Carolina Court of Appeals
P.O. Box 11629
Columbia, SC 29211

Re: Appeal of State v. Anthony D. Richardson
2011-GS-44-347, 346, 345
Warrants: M-675007, M-675008, M-675009

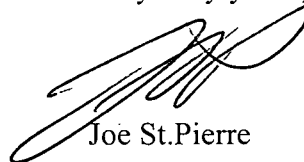
Dear Mrs. Kitchings:

I was appointed to represent the above named in General Sessions last year. After his guilty plea on December 5, 2012 Mr. Richardson advised me he wished to appeal the plea. On December 15, 2011 I faxed and mailed a Notice of Intent to Appeal to the Clerk of Court in Union requesting them to forward it to indigent defense. I have attached the Notice of Intent to Appeal.

About eight days ago, I was made aware by my client that there has been no appeal filed on his behalf and your Court had not received notice, either through the Clerk of Court in Union or Indigent Defense. I apologize for failing to forward the same to your Court at same time as filing with the Clerk of Court.

Mr. Richardson requests this appeal be filed. I would be happy to discuss this case further with either you or your staff.

Very truly yours,



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