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Re: State v. Derek V. Collier

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Mr. Collier wishes to drop his appeal. I am substitute counsel in this case. I sent a letter along with a drop affidavit to Mr. Collier on January 12, 2018. We have not received it back yet. We will notify this Court as soon as we receive it back from Mr. Collier.

By copy of this letter, I am informing William Shumacher, Esquire of my client's wish to drop his appeal.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Taylor Gilliam  
Appellate Defender

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cc: William Shumacher, Esquire