



State of South Carolina
The Circuit Court of the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit

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SC Court of Appeals

Re: State v David Harold Campbell
2017-GS-26-00942

Dear Ms. Shurling:

I am sorry for not responding to your January 3 email in a timelier manner. I was unsure of how to respond until I was contacted by Desiree Allen at Court Administration when she received a copy of your February 7, 2018 letter. I am responding to the email from January 3, 2018, and the letter dated February 7, 2018.

By way of history, the original transcript in this matter was requested by and delivered to Appellate Defense and Bukh Law Firm on August 22, 2017. A digital copy of the transcript was delivered to you on December 19, 2017.

In the February 7, 2018 letter you ask if I have made arrangements to have backup tapes placed with Desiree Allen at Court Administration. I have not. When there is a challenge to the accuracy of a transcript, I have to respond to the challenger in writing. I am required to review the record and report the findings in writing to the challenger with a copy to all parties and Court Administration. Any inaccuracies have to be corrected and the pages forwarded to the challenger at no cost. I have reviewed the record, including the pre-trial motion portion, and found that no portion was left out. Therefore, the transcript as prepared is accurate.

The S.C. Court Reporter Manual states, "Further review of the record may be permitted by the presiding judge upon written request with good cause shown." If you decide to ask the presiding judge for a further review, kindly copy me on the judge's decision. The S.C. Court Reporter Manual also states, "In any proceeding which has been transcribed, the court reporter shall retain the primary and back-up tapes which have been transcribed for a period of at least one year after the original transcript is sent to the requesting party to allow any party to challenge

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the accuracy of the transcription." Therefore, these records will be preserved by me until **August 22, 2018.**

I am copying the Court of Appeals and Court Administration on this response. I do not have the address of David Harold Campbell or Jynere Friday which were copied on your letter. I would respectfully request that copies be provided to those individuals by your office, if you think it is necessary. Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kay H. Richardson". The signature is written in a cursive style with some loops and flourishes.

Kay H. Richardson
Circuit Court Reporter

CC: The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings, Clerk, SC Court of Appeals ✓
Desiree Allen, Court Reporter Manager, SC Court Administration
David Harold Campbell, #265686 (via Ms. Shurling)
Jynere Friday (via Ms. Shurling)