

Dear Clerk Kitchings

There is nothing else I can do at this point. I have not been allowed to shop at the canteen in well over a month. This is the last and only sheet of paper left in my room. The prison is locked down due to the riot at Lee County prison + 10 dead inmates + 15 been in the Hospital. This prison is locked down. I have access to Postage go try + get this dropped in the mail box, but I got absolutely no paper left. This is my only sheet. Can't even send you a certificate of service but I did mail a copy of my letter to you to Christina Catoe Bigelow. I can't even visit home.

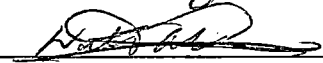
Please allow this case to go before the court, I filed it within 10 days.

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Sincerely



William Allen

I got SCDC find brief on March 27, 2018 and placed my response in the mail box on the prison yard on ~~the~~ Friday, April 6, 2018. That was only 8 working days. I do not know how often the mail room staff empties the mail box.

Please let it go before the court I been working on this issue for the past 2 years.

I am confused about your letter + initial brief.

Dear Clerk Kitchings,

4-26-18

It is not right, the Department of Corrections has got my hands tied. The whole country knows that the South Carolina prison system is locked down. I don't have access to get to the courts to get papers. I can't get copies made, can't get anything to the mail box on time, there is no way this is my fault. This is being prejudice against me.

Please know I did not get Respondent's final Brief until March 27, 2018. I can't even get a copy of the envelope to mail you. My response was done within 10 days and placed in the U.S. mail box on the prison yard, I have no control over it beyond that point.

[You state in your letter dated April 23, 2018. that the Court construes as an Appellant's initial reply brief, I the appellant would beg to differ. Being Pro Se Appellant known of no other way to respond to Respondent's Final Brief.]

What I filed dated April 6, 2018 is Appellant's final response to Respondent's final Brief. Surely the Appellant would have a right for the truth to go before the court and let a judge make a final decision. All I seek is for the truth to be told.

I ask that what I filed dated April 6, 2018 be allowed to go before the Appeals Court, it's only a few pages. I only reiterated what is already a matter of record.

cc. Charitina Catoe Bigelow, Esquire

Sincerely,

William Allen

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Shirley C. Robinson Administrative Law Court Judge

Lower Court Case No. 16-ALJ-04-0641-AP

Court of Appeals Case No. 2017-000596

William Allen, #178666 Appellant
v.
South Carolina Dept. of Correct. Respondent

Appellant's initial final reply brief

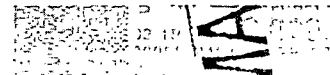
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