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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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Re: In the Matter of the Care and Treatment of Michael Hargrove, 06-CP-10-322
Appellate Case No. 2012-213697

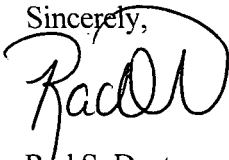
Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Pursuant to my paralegal's conversation with the case manager, Ashley, this morning, please allow this letter to serve as notice that a hearing was not held in the lower court with regard to the above-referenced matter and thus a transcript will not be ordered with regard to this matter.

Please notify me if the Motion for Extension of Time to File Initial Brief and Designation of Matter to be Included in Record on Appeal will be granted with regard to this case at your earliest convenience.

I thank you in advance for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions or comments concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Rad S. Deaton
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Cc: Mr. Michael Hargrove
Deborah R.J. Shupe, Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

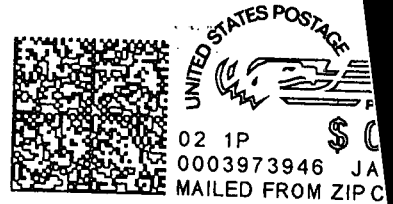
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