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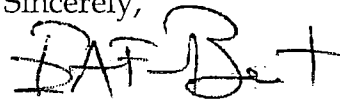
RE: *State v. Richard Passio, Jr.* Appellate Case No. 2018-001488

Dear Ms. Kitchings,

I received a letter from the Court dated June 14, 2019 that the brief and designation of matter in this case was due. I apologize for missing this deadline. Respectfully, I would ask this Court to grant an extension to allow additional time to complete this. Counsel has fully read the transcript and has begun making notes. Counsel further will be reviewing the exhibits at the Beaufort County courthouse tomorrow, June 19, 2019 and also has a meeting with trial counsel afterwards. I would like to request a one-month extension so that the brief and designation of matter will be due July 18, 2019. This is counsel's first request for an extension.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Elizabeth A. Franklin-Best

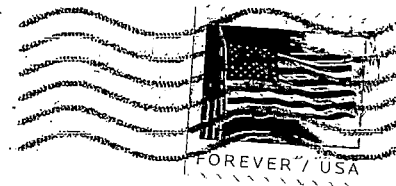
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