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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
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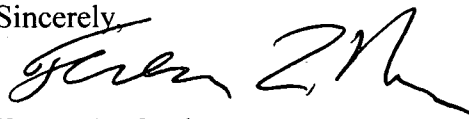
RE: *Ron O'Neal Finklea, SK6025 v. State, 2010-CP-32-5076* (Lexington County Capital Post-Conviction Relief Action) – Status

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Please be advised that this case remains pending prior to an evidentiary hearing. Judge Keesley held a status conference on November 13, 2015, to schedule the hearing. The Finklea hearing is now scheduled for the week of November 14, 2016. The delay in scheduling was necessitated because I am under a protective order in the Dylann Roof matter in Charleston County that precludes me being called for trial until 90 days after the Roof trial, which is currently scheduled for July 2016.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions in this matter or if I can provide you with any additional information.

Sincerely,



Teresa L. Norris

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