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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
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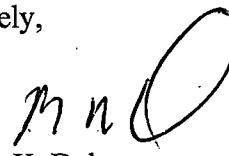
Re: State of South Carolina v. Justin Gordon Hunter  
Appellate Case No. 2019-000469

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The forty-five day period holding this case in abeyance pursuant to this Court's order of February 5, 2020 expired on March 20, 2020. However, our office has still not received the necessary transcript from the court reporter. We, therefore, most respectfully, request that the deadline for filing the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter be held in abeyance pending receipt of that transcript. Our office will inform this Court immediately upon receipt of that transcript.

If the Court requires any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

By: 

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