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The Honorable Tonnya K. Kohn  
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Via USPS First Class Mail and FAX  
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**Subj: South Carolina State University v Simmons, Appellate Case No. 2020-000671**

Dear Ms. Kohn:

On April 23, 2020, the transcript of the proceedings in this case was ordered. See attached letter from Martin S. High to Desiree Allen. To my knowledge, the Court has not granted any extension of time to submit a transcript in this case. By my calculations, the transcript was due to be delivered on June 22. As of today, the appellant has not received the transcript from the court reporter.

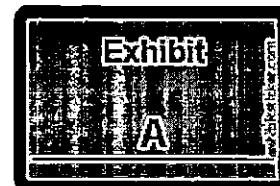
Sincerely,

Martin S. High, Esq.  
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1. Michael C. Watkins, Court Reporter via EMAIL ([MWatkins@sccourts.org](mailto:MWatkins@sccourts.org))
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  5. Clerk, Court of Appeals, via FAX (803-734-1839) and USPS First Class Mail to P.O. Box 11629, Columbia SC 29211-1629.

Enclosure(s) 1. Copy of letter from Martin S. High to Desiree Allen ordering transcript

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RE: South Carolina State University, Respondent, v. Denise Simmons, Appellant, Case No. 2015-CP-38-553

Dear Ms. Jordan,

On July 31, 2017 and August 1, 2017, the above case was tried before the Honorable Edgar W. Dickson, Circuit Court Judge, in Orangeburg County. My records indicate that you were the court reporter for this case.

I request that you provide me with a transcript of the proceedings. Please transcribe the entire record. I agree to pay the per page charge for this transcript as provided by Rule 607, SCACR.

Sincerely,

s/ Martin S. High  
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