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**S.C. SUPREME COURT**

Re: Nikita Jerome Roache v. State of South Carolina  
2011-23-CP-8290

Dear Mr. Shearouse,

This case was stayed pursuant to my motion based on the outcome of the Chaidez case in the United States Supreme Court. Chaidez has been decided adversely to our position. Our petition for certiorari would therefore unsupported by law or fact. I therefore request that the notice of appeal be withdrawn.

Sincerely,



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