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Dear Mr. Nix:

I am in receipt of your letter dated July 14, 2020. Pardon my oversight of not including the Transcript Request Form in my last response. It is included in this response. This document is also available at our website. As I explained previously, for proceedings in the digital courtrooms, DCRP is the designation used when ordering transcripts. This information was reflected on the calendar you enclosed with your previous letter. Please complete the enclosed Transcript Request Form and send to us at the email address on the form. If you would prefer, you can send back to me via USPS mail. Prior to preparing the transcript, a court reporter will contact you regarding cost and estimated delivery date. Upon receipt of the payment, transcript production will begin.

If you have any other questions regarding *court reporters and/or transcripts*, please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

Respectfully,


Desiree Allen

Court Reporter Program Manager

CC: Tonnya K. Kohn, State Court Administrator
Jenny Abbott Kitchings, Clerk of Court of Appeals ✓

Enclosure: Transcript Request Form ✓

Transcript Request Form

Pursuant to Rule 207 and 607 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules, the transcribed paper copy is the official record of court proceedings. You may request a transcript by completing this form and emailing it to the Court Reporter and to South Carolina Court Administration at transcripts@sccourts.org. Click [here](#) for instructions on how to find the court reporter's email and mailing addresses. Once the court reporter receives your request, it will be processed pursuant to Rule 207 and 607 of the SCACR. Rule 607(h) governs the fees for transcripts, which are not provided for free or at reduced rates to any party. Please send by mail a money order or certified bank check to the court reporter in order to obtain the transcript. Some court reporters may accept personal checks. Please check with the court reporter to see if this option is available. Once your request is received, you will receive a copy of this form with the bottom portion completed. Please promptly submit your payment in order for the transcript to be provided. If you need to cancel the transcript request for any reason, you are responsible for paying for the pages of the transcript that have already been completed at the time of the cancellation.

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Transcript Information			
Docket Number _____	Case Caption (i.e. State v. John Doe or Smith v. Smith) _____		
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Requestor's Signature: _____
(Typed name will serve as signature)

Date: _____

Note: If you are ordering a transcript pursuant to Rule 207(a)(1), SCACR, you must contemporaneously furnish all parties, the Office of Court Administration, and the clerk of the appellate court with copies of all correspondence with the court reporter.

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14 July 2020

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RE: letter dated 10 July 2020, transcript request: case number 2019-CP-10-01496, Appellant Case No. 2020-000676

Ms. Allen.

Thank you for your response related to this issue. I have included a copy of the letter for reference by others on copy.

First, your letter asks me to complete the attached Transcript Request Form, but no Transcript Request Form was included in the letter. The contents of the envelope were composed of the letter included in this letter and a copy of my letter dated 6 July 2020.

Second, your letter states "Our records reflect that the proceedings that day were held in our digital courtroom". In regards to this statement,

1. Please explain. I was physically at the Charleston County Courthouse on 27 January 2020. Typically when I hear the words such as digital and virtual, I take that to mean not in the same physical place with the other parties. The physical environment on 27 January 2020 appeared to me to be very much almost identical to other occasions I have had to go to the Charleston County Courthouse for similar proceedings. Between these two facts, I'm obviously a bit confused.
2. Second, you didn't provide the name of the court reporter. Was there a court reporter assigned to Cole and Charleston County that day? If not, please clarify this process to the degree required.

Once again, thank you for finally helping with this situation and I look forward to a response as well as a copy of the Transcript Request Form. I will probably mail it in so everyone is kept in the loop related to eventually solving this problem.

Best regards,



Alan Nix

cc.

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