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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk
South Carolina Supreme Court
P.O. Box 11330
Columbia, S.C. 29211

Re: *Bobby Wayne Stone v. State of South Carolina*

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Pursuant to *In re Stays of Execution in Capital Cases*, 321 S.C. 544, 471 S.E.2d 140 (1996), I am writing to report on the status of the above-referenced capital post-conviction relief case. The evidentiary hearing in this case took place on April 23, 2012, and August 10, 2012. Mr. Stone submitted his post-hearing brief for the PCR Court's consideration on March 11, 2013.

If you have any questions or require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely yours,

Emily C. Paavola

cc: John H. Blume