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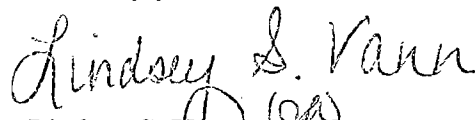
Re: *Stephen C. Stanko, #6022 v. State of South Carolina*
No. 2008-CP-22-1446 (on remand from Appellate Case No. 2017-000211)

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. An evidentiary hearing was held in this case before Judge Brown. Following that hearing, both parties submitted post-hearing briefs. On June 22, 2020, Judge Brown indicated he was drafting an order denying relief.

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

Sincerely yours,


Lindsey S. Vann (JAV)

CC: Caroline Scrantom, Esq.

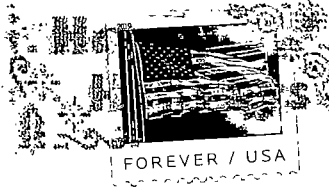
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