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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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SC Court of Appeals

Re: State v. Marvin Donte Bryan | Appellate Case No. 2017-001468

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

This Court granted Mr. Bryan's motion to remand his case to the Charleston County Court of General Sessions to reconstruct portions of his trial on November 8, 2018. In accordance with this Court's order, I am providing this Court with a written update every thirty days until the matter is resolved.

After counsel in this case met in October to discuss the possibility of having a reconstruction hearing in the near future, we determined the availability of witnesses and forwarded that information to Judge Jefferson. The parties anticipate having a status conference with the judge in order to discuss the logistics of a reconstruction hearing. The South Carolina Department of Corrections confirmed to me that it has videoconferencing capabilities at its facilities.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

s/ Taylor D. Gilliam
Appellate Defender