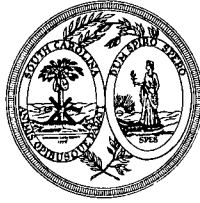


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RE: The State v. Mark Dorko
Case No.: 2020-000239

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

It appears that Appellant's Anders Brief and Petition to be Relieved as Counsel in the above captioned case was filed on July 28, 2020, pursuant to the procedure set forth in Anders v. State, 386 U.S. 738 (1967) and due to an oversight, Respondent did not file an anders letter. Please accept this letter in lieu of a formal return in the above-captioned case. The Respondent has no objection to the Appellant's filing of an Anders Brief, and furthermore, the Respondent has no objection to the Petition to be Relieved as Counsel.

If there are any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at any time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Matthew C. Buchanan", written over a horizontal line.

Matthew C. Buchanan
General Counsel

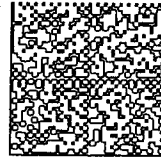
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