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Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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Post Office Box 11629
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RE: Kenneth Smalls v. Latoya Ekpunobi, as Guardian for Lyric Brown

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed herewith for filing, please find an original and one copy of my request for hearing transcripts from court reporter McCarn for hearing on May 22, 2019 (probate court hearing) and from court reporter Rueger for hearing on March 19, 2021 (circuit court hearing). Please file the originals and return the clocked copies to me in the enclosed envelope. By copy of this letter with enclosure, I am serving Taylor Anderson, attorney for Respondent.

Thank you for your assistance. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

Sincerely,

Tracey O'Brien
Assistant to Michael Ellis

Enclosures

cc: Taylor Anderson, Esquire



Tracey O'Brien

From: Tracey O'Brien
Sent: Thursday, April 01, 2021 3:25 PM
To: 'Lisa A. McCarn'
Cc: Mike Ellis
Subject: in the matter of Brian Smalls
Attachments: caption probate.docx

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Lisa:
We had a hearing in the probate court for the referenced matter on May 22, 2019 and you were the court reporter for this hearing.
We would like to request a copy of the transcript from that hearing as we have filed an appeal.
Thank you and Happy Easter!
Tracey O'Brien

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To: 'jrueger@sccourts.org'
Cc: Mike Ellis
Subject: Smalls vs Brown
Attachments: caption appeal to circuit court.docx

Ms. Rueger:

Please accept this letter as a request for a copy of the transcript of hearing regarding the referenced matter held before the Honorable Debra McCaslin on March 19, 2021.

Please let me know if you have any questions, comments or concerns.

Thank you.

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APPEAL FROM CHARLESTON COUNTY
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SC Court of Appeals

Debra R. McCaslin, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2018-ES-10-1904

Kenneth Smalls, Appellant,
v.
Latoya Ekpunobi, as guardian for Lyric Brown, Respondent.

PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served our requests for transcripts on Taylor Anderson, attorney for Respondent by placing a copy of same in the United States Mail with sufficient postage attached thereto and addressed as follows:

Taylor Anderson, Esquire
507-A Savannah Highway
Charleston, SC 29407

Dated: 4.21.21

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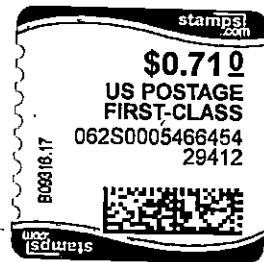
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