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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
1015 Sumter Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Re: The State v. Royal D. Williams, III
Appellate Case Number 2020-000049

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The State received Appellant's Notice of Appearance and Motion to Substitute Counsel and Motion to Refile Initial Brief. Please accept this letter in lieu of a formal response. The State takes no position on either the substitution of counsel or the motion to refile the Initial Brief. The State leaves the determination to the wise discretion of the Court. The State asks that all timelines be held in abeyance while this Court considers this motion. If you need anything further, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

William M. Blitch, Jr.
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

cc: Elizabeth Franklin-Best, Esquire
Victim Advocacy Division

Caroline Collins

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Good Morning Mr. Brooker and Ms. Franklin-Best,

Attached please find an informal return to Appellant's Notice of Appearance and Motion to Substitute Counsel and Motion to Refile Initial Brief The State v. Royal Daniel Williams, III (2020-000049). This will be submitted to the South Carolina Court of Appeals today via the AIS One Drive System.

If you will, please reply to confirm receipt of this email.

Thank you!

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