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Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court
Post Office Box 11330
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Re: The State v. Justin Jamal Warner and The State v. Timothy Ray Jones, Jr.
Appellate Case No. 2020-000930 and Appellate Case No. 2019-001008

Dear Ms. Howard:

Please accept this letter as notice that I am adding Appellate Defender Adam Ruffin as second counsel on this case. I have enclosed labels that our courier Tyler Cheney will be happy to affix to the Record on Appeal and Final Briefs. In addition, Adam Ruffin will argue this case for me on Monday, November 8, 2021 at 11:30 a.m. since I am arguing the death penalty case of State v. Timothy Ray Jones on Tuesday, November 9, 2021 before the Court at 9:30 a.m. Given the COVID-19 guidelines, Adam Ruffin will be the only attorney present for the Warner oral argument. I will be present and arguing State v. Timothy Ray Jones with Appellate Defender Susan Barber Hackett also present.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter. Please let me know if you or the Court has any concerns or desires any further information.

Sincerely,

Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

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