

**PUBLIC DEFENDER FOR THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**

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April 18, 2013

Benny S. Jones # 208697  
Kirkland R & E  
4344 Broad River Road  
Columbia, SC 29210

re: State v. Benny S. Jones  
Appeal Case Number 2013-000628

Dear Mr. Jones:

Under Rule 203(B) (iv) of the South Carolina Rules of Appellate Procedure, an appeal from a guilty plea may be dismissed unless you can identify issues that were preserved for appeal or make a sufficient showing to the Court that there are issues which can be argued on appeal. I do not believe that there were any issues preserved for appeal, however, I did file an appeal since you specifically asked me to do so. The paperwork that I filed is enclosed for your review.

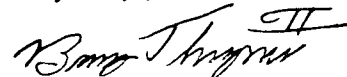
You must now contact the appellate court yourself in writing to advise the Court of any issues you feel you may have on appeal.

You must send a written statement to the South Carolina Court of Appeals within twenty (20) days from the date of this letter to inform the Court of any argument you have that there are issues preserved for appeal. Your statement should include your case number as shown above. The address of the Court is:

South Carolina Court of Appeals  
Post Office Box 11629  
Columbia, SC 29211

Wishing you well, I am

Very truly yours,

  
Barry Thompson II

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Enclosure:

cc: V. Claire Allen, Deputy Clerk of the SC Court of Appeals

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**OFFICE OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT PUBLIC DEFENDER**

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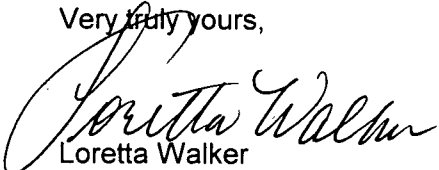
Dear V. Claire Allen:

Enclosed, please find a copy of the Rule 203 that was sent to the above named defendant.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office.

Wishing you well, I am

Very truly yours,

  
Loretta Walker  
Paralegal

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