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The Honorable Patricia A. Howard  
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RE: Alonzo Jones v. State of South Carolina  
2017-CP-28-0226 and 2014-CP-28-302

S.C. SUPREME COURT

Dear Ms. Howard:

Enclosed for filing is a notice of appeal in the above case. Also enclosed are the following:

- (1) Proof of service of the notice of appeal on the respondent.
- (2) A copy of the orders which are to be challenged on appeal.
- (3) This appeal is filed with the Supreme Court because it is a Post-Conviction Relief case. In case number 2017-CP-28-0226, the Applicant was granted a belated appeal pursuant to *Austin v. State*, 305 S.C. 453, 409 S.E. 2d 395 (1991) of his prior Post-Conviction Relief case in case number 2014-CP-28-302 so both case numbers were cited and both orders enclosed.

I am copying Appellate Defense on this matter because I was appointed to represent the Applicant pursuant to the Indigent Defense Contract Attorney Program and therefore I anticipate Appellate Defense will handle the appeal.

Sincerely,



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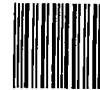
cc: Michael D. Davidson, Asst. Attorney General  
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