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Re: The State v. Shellie Lavette Davis
Appellate Case No. 2018-000366

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

By way of an Order dated January 14, 2022, this Court remanded the subject case for a new battered spouse hearing under S.C. Code Ann. § 16-25-90. Following receipt of that Order, the undersigned has begun preparing for a new hearing.

I have contacted the Chief Administrative Judge for the Court of General Sessions in the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, the Honorable Debra R. McCaslin in order to introduce the case and provide context. I will work with opposing counsel in order to schedule a hearing that accommodates Judge McCaslin and any/all witnesses that may be called. Judge McCaslin is the Chief Administrative Judge through July 2, 2022; I am hopeful that the new hearing can occur prior to that date.

I will continue to provide updates every thirty days. In the event this Court has any questions in the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

s/ Taylor D. Gilliam
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cc: Shellie Lavette Davis
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