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Re: The State v. Craig C. Busse  
Appellate Case No. 2021-000076

Dear Counsel:

The arguments in this case will be conducted live in the Supreme Court Courtroom in Columbia at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, April 28, 2022. The following times have been allocated for the arguments:

Petitioner:	15 minutes
Respondent:	15 minutes
Petitioner in Reply:	5 minutes

*I ask that each party provide the names of the lawyer(s) and any persons accompanying the lawyer(s) who will be present in the Supreme Court Building for the arguments. This information should be provided by e-mail to [suptfilings@sccourts.org](mailto:suptfilings@sccourts.org) by Monday, March 14, 2022. To address any risk posed by COVID-19, the Court reserves the right to limit the number of persons attending the arguments, or to assign seating in the courtroom.*

As an alternative to attending the arguments at the Supreme Court Building, the arguments may be viewed via live-stream on the Supreme Court Video Portal at <https://www.sccourts.org/SCvideo>. In addition to live streaming, a recording of the arguments will be posted to the Video Portal on the afternoon following the arguments.

Because the risk posed by COVID-19 has decreased and vaccinations are now widely available, masks are no longer required in the Supreme Court Building. As a matter of personal preference, persons may elect to wear a mask in the building. All persons entering the Supreme Court Building will be screened for COVID-19 symptoms, and anyone who is experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 or who has tested positive for COVID-19 in the past seven days will not be permitted into the building.

I look forward to seeing the lawyers who will be arguing this case. If you have any questions or concerns related to this letter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

*Patricia A. Howard*

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