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The Honorable Jenny Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
P.O. Box 11629
Columbia, SC 29211

Re: State v. Frankie Lee Davis, III
Appellate Case No.: **2019-000416**

Dear Ms. Kitchings,

This case is scheduled for oral argument on March 15, 2022, at 11:20 AM in Courtroom I. It is my understanding the Court continues to live stream all oral arguments through WebEx and the live stream is accessible by the general public. In this case, some of the materials at issue are on file with the Court of Appeals under seal and are not to be made available to the general public. Given the issues on appeal, it is likely one or both attorneys will be referencing the materials that are under seal during the argument. As a result, I ask the Court to not live stream the argument in this case on March 15 to maintain the privacy afforded the materials being kept under seal. I have spoken with Appellant's counsel, Adam Ruffin, and he indicates he is in agreement with not having the argument live streamed so long as an audio recording is preserved. I appreciate your consideration of this request and if you need anything further, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General
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cc: Adam Sinclair Ruffin, Esquire (via email)