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HUNTINGDON, TENNESSEE 38344

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Honorable Bart Durham
Assistant Attorney General
Supreme Court Building
Nashville, Tennessee 37219

Re: Hilliard v. Williams, et al

Dear General Durham:

I received your copies of Judge Wellford's order of dismissal this morning, for which I am grateful. I thought your briefs and argument was most excellent. The order incorporates several of your citations of recent holdings.

We will appreciate and desire your continued fine representation on appeal. As you know, I'm proud that you and the office of the Attorney General, are waging this battle in the interest of the District Attorney Generals of Tennessee and law enforcement.

I'll will be away from my office in Huntingdon with my family on vacation for a week or two. If you need to contact us, please call Assistant Attorney General, Bob Smith, in Savannah, Tennessee.

With warmest personal regards and thanks again, I remain,

Gratefully yours,


John L. Williams

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