

COURT OF APPEALS OF GEORGIA

RETURN NOTICE

February 26, 2015

To: Mr. Shawn A. Shavers, GDC1001221363, Baldwin State Prison, Post Office Box 218,
Hardwick, Georgia 31024

Case Number: _____ Lower Court: _____ County Superior Court

Court of Appeals Case Number and Style: _____

Your document(s) is (are) being returned for the following reason(s).

- There is no case pending in the Court of Appeals of Georgia under your name.**
- A Notice of Appeal is filed with the clerk of the trial court and not with the Court of Appeals of Georgia. See OCGA §5-6-37.** Once the trial court clerk has received and filed the Notice of Appeal, the trial court clerk will prepare a copy of the record and transcripts as designated by the Notice of Appeal and transmit them to this Court. Once the Notice of Appeal is docketed in the Court of Appeals of Georgia, a Docketing Notice with the Briefing Schedule and other important information is mailed to counsel for the parties or directly to the parties, if the parties are representing themselves. You do not need to provide this Court with a copy of the Notice of Appeal you filed with the superior court.
- The Notice of Appeal must include a proper Certificate of Service.** A Certificate of Service must show service to the opposing counsel and contain the counsel's full name and complete mailing address. The opposing counsel must actually be served with a copy of your filing.
- An Application for Writ of Habeas Corpus should be filed in the superior court of the county in which you claim you are illegally detained.** An appeal from a denial of an Application for Writ of Habeas Corpus is to the Supreme Court and not the Court of Appeals.
- An Application for Writ of Mandamus should be filed in the superior court of the county official whose conduct you intend to mandate.** An appeal from a denial of an Application for Writ of Mandamus is to the Supreme Court and not the Court of Appeals.
- Your appeal was disposed by opinion (order) on _____.** The Court of Appeals _____ . The remittitur issued on _____ divesting this Court of jurisdiction. The case decision is therefore final.
- Your mailing/documents indicate that you intended to file your papers in another court rather than the Court of Appeals of Georgia.** The address of the Clerk of the _____ is: _____
- If an attorney has been appointed for you and you are concerned with the representation provided by that attorney, you should address that issue to the trial court.** As long as you are represented by an attorney, you cannot file pleadings on your own behalf. Your attorney must file a Motion to Withdraw as Counsel and it must be granted, before you can file your own pleadings in this Court.
- A request for an out-of-time appeal should be made to the trial court from which you are appealing.** If your motion is denied by the trial court, you can file an appeal of that decision by filing a Notice of Appeal with the clerk of the superior court.

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COURT CLERK
CLERK COURT OF APPEALS OF GA

February 13th, 2015

To: Mr. Castle, clerk
Court of Appeals of
Georgia, suite 501, 47
Trinity Ave, Atlanta,
Georgia 30334

RE: Court Appointed Appellant Counsel
Sharon L. Hopkins, CA-16-12-8
340-1

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2015 FEB 26 AM 11:18
CLERK COURT OF APPEALS OF GA

Dear clerk

I've objected to ^{THE} representation of the above-named Attorney based on an existing 'Conflict of Interest', see enclosed letter sent to Counsel. May the Court also take in consideration the enclosed GBA Complaint & Request to the court to be granted new counsel. Two other Notices i.e. December 2nd and Sept. 18, 2014 were processed by this Court re: Petitioner's objections to Counsel's conduct. Petitioner respectfully moves the Court to not accept any filings from Counsel and order status hearing be conducted A.S.A.P

Thanks In Advance

SAS: AOW
cc: file

Sincerely
Sharon A. Shaders 1001221362

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CLERK/COURT ADMINISTRATOR
COURT OF APPEALS OF GA

To: Stephen E. Castlen, Court Administrator
Court of Appeals of Georgia
Suite 501, 47 Trinity Ave.
Atlanta, Georgia 30334

RE: Judicial Misconduct: Defendants Trial Records / Appeal

Dear Clerk

I'm requesting the Court files this complaint and make further inquiry as to all records related to my Trial conducted Dec. 2013 i.e. Criminal Case No. 12B3440-8 scheduled Nov. 07, 2014 for Motion for New Trial Hearing, see enclosed Exhibits marked A-C. Aside from letters sent to Appellate Counsel Sharon L. Hopkins and Judge George F. Hutchinson the Attorney General's Office and Georgia BAR, see Exhibits (i) and (d) has been appropriately notified as to Appellants concerns relating to the Trial record being doctored and of Counsel's refusal to relinquish these records in accord with the criterion set forth pursuant to the Georgia Appellate Act.

Grievant has been refused access to several informations "material and crucial" to this trial and remaining cases) and seek a Court Order Directing the lower Court (Seals all Trial records i.e. Audio, Court Transcript and Matters recorded with the Clerk forwarding a copy to the Higher Court for review) and/or Comparison should an Appeal be necessary). Court Official(s) disqualified from participating in any criminal proceedings are still involved in various hearings being conducted, Ref Exhibits) E.

THANKS in Advance

SAS: AOW

cc-File

Eric Holder, U.S. Dept. of Justice - Criminal Sec.
B. Obama, President of United States

Sincerely Yours
Shawn A. SHAFER

February 13, 2015

To: Sharon L. Hopkins, Esq.
P.O. Box 2075
Deluth, Georgia 30096

RE: Withdrawal As Counsel

Dear counsel

As of date I've received no notice from you regarding the status of my appeal or copy of my Trial Transcript or "Motion for New Trial" transcripts. As explained to Judge Hutchinson a 'Conflict of Interest' does exist based on your refusal to 1) forward copies of my transcripts 2) incorporate various issues related to ineffective Assistance of Trial Counsel Eg. Counsel's abusive letters, threats as well as Attorney Lewis refusal to investigate certain aspects of Sub's related to my case. Like Trial Counsel you've also neglected to subpoena two different Officers or put me on the stand during Trial. I believe the outcome of my trial would've been different based on several factors.

As your client I'm not in agreement with your representation and ASK notification is given to the Court of Appeals and sentencing court. I'm requesting to be afforded a 'Faretta Hearing' immediately so as not to violate any time frame set forth by the Court. No disrespect is intended but I'm not interested in any advice offered towards the-

dangers of Pro-Se. I'm very aware of such & was Ordered Pro-Se in other cases. May you also include within your (Motion) that I'm requesting to be placed back in county custody because I also request to be afforded a Status hearing concerning the Preservation of the Trial record.

As filed with the Gwinnett Superior clerk, I WAS 'denied access to my Trial record because' [redacted] I've been assigned a lawyer, However you've already subjected me to decisions which have been injurious to my case & it's within my constitutional rights to be Pro-Se & seek your withdrawal as counsel.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true & correct copy of the foregoing correspondence ~~was~~ re: Appeal No. 12B-3440-1 was sent to Appellant Counsel Sharon L. Hopkins, P.O. Box 218, Deluth, GA. 30096 & Served to the parties listed below by placing it in the U.S. Mail with proper postage attached

SAS: AOW

CC: File

- Judge G. Hutchinson III, Gwinnett Superior Court, 75 Langley Dr. Lawrenceville, GA 30046
578 501 47 ATL, GA. Respectfully Submitted By: Shawn A. Shavers #1001221362
- Mr. Gastlen, Clerk, Court of Appeals, Trinity ~~NE 2033~~ Baldwin State Prison, PO Box 218
- William P. Smith, Georgia Bar Association, 104 Marietta St. NW, ATL. GA. 30303 Hardwick, Georgia 31024