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Jorge E. Navarrete
Clerk of the California Supreme Court
350 McAllister Street, First Floor
San Francisco, CA 94102

RE: *People of The State of California v. Robert Boyd Rhoades*
California Supreme Court Case No. S082101

Dear Mr. Navarrete:

This case is scheduled for oral argument on September 3, 2019. This Court has asked counsel for the parties to advise the court and opposing counsel of the issues on which counsel expects to focus their arguments.

Counsel for respondent has not independently identified any focus issues for argument. Instead, I will be prepared to address any focus issues specified by counsel for appellant and to answer any questions posed by the Court at oral argument.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jennifer M. Poe

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M. Latimer
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