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350 McAllister St.
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Re: *People v. Stanley Bryant, et al.*, Case No. S049596
Oral Argument Focus Letter

To the Honorable Tani Cantil-Sakauye, Chief Justice of California, and to the Honorable Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of California:

I am counsel assigned to represent Mr. Bryant in the above-referenced appeal, calendared for oral argument on May 28, 2014. I intend to focus my argument on appellant's claim that the erroneous requirement that appellant wear a REACT belt during the course of his capital trial requires reversal of his conviction and death judgment. (See Appellant's Opening and Reply briefs, Argument V.)

Very Truly Yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kathleen M. Scheidel".

KATHLEEN M. SCHEIDEL
Assistant State Public Defender

DEATH PENALTY

DECLARATION OF SERVICE

Re: People v. Bryant, Wheeler and Smith

No. S049596

I, Glenice Fuller, declare that I am over 18 years of age, and not a party to the within cause; my business address is 1111 Broadway 10th Floor, Oakland California 94607; that I served a copy of the attached:

ORAL ARGUMENT FOCUS LETTER

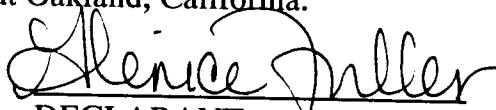
on each of the following, by placing same in an envelope addressed respectively as follows:

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Each said envelope was then, on May 9, 2014, deposited in the United States Mail at Oakland, California, in the county of Alameda, in which I am employed, with the postage thereon fully prepaid..

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signed on May 9, 2014, at Oakland, California.


DECLARANT