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Ms. Mary Jameson Automatic Appeals Unit Supervisor Supreme Court of California 350 McAllister Street San Francisco, CA 94102-4797

RE: People v. Dewey Joe Duff

Case No. S105097

Oral Argument Focus Letter

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Dear Ms. Jameson:

The above referenced capital case has been calendared for oral argument on November 5, 2013, at 2:00 p.m. in Sacramento. Appellant's argument will focus on the exclusion of relevant "negative victim impact evidence" during the penalty phase. (AOB 132-141; RB 126-132; ARB 45-47; *People v. Rogers* (2013) 57 Cal. 4th 296, 345-348)

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

Attorney for Appellant Duff

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DEATH PENALTY

DECLARATION OF SERVICE BY U.S. MAIL

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I, the undersigned, state that I am a citizen of the United States employed in the County of Los Angeles, that I am over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action. My business is 225 South Lake Avenue, 3rd Floor, Pasadena, California 91101.

On October 16, 2013, I served the foregoing:

LETTER TO CALIFORNIA SUPREME COURT ORAL ARGUMENT FOCUS LETTER

by placing a true copy thereof enclosed in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the United States mail at Pasadena, California, addressed as follows:

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct, and that this Declaration was executed on October 16, 2013, at Pasadena, California.

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On October 21, 2013, I served the foregoing:

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Dewey Joe Duff, T-47320 San Quentin State Prison 4 East Block 93 San Quentin, CA 94974 RECEIVED

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct, and that this Declaration was executed on October 21, 2013, at Pasadena, California.

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