

ATTACHMENT 6

Associate Deputy Attorney General Smith,

19 Oct 05

Despite the unorthodox appearance of a communication by a death-sentenced inmate to the State Attorney General's office, I find it necessary to write to you. As you should already know, attorneys Stephen Ferrell and Donald Dawson of FDSET and PCDO, respectively, have involved me in adversarial proceedings with the State against my wishes. My position is that they are denying me closure in this matter. My difficulty lies in approaching the various courts' jurisdiction(s) without invoking it (them). On 10 Oct 05 I mailed Mr. Dawson a letter notifying him of my intent to write your office and that it would be a matter of your discretion as to whether you disclosed the content.

On 12 Oct 05 he received that letter.

On 29 Sep 05, I wrote Mr. Ferrell directing him to not file a federal habeas petition on my behalf. He received that letter on 03 Oct 05 which was the last day of the period afforded me by the federal statute of limitations. I did not and do not authorize the filing of a federal habeas petition on my behalf.

On 05 May 05, Ernest Holton executed an affidavit for Mr. Ferrell in order to proceed as my 'next-best-friend'. Aside from the extraordinary proposal that the grandfather of the victims be permitted to proceed as a next-best-friend, the affidavit contains 2 perjured grounds of support. The first being the purported general power of attorney. I executed a specific power of attorney to allow Ernest Holton to sell a car. The attorney who prepared it could verify this.

At present he is the Assistant District Attorney General For Bedford County. His name is Mike Randles. Additionally, the head jailer Cpt Dan Brooks witnessed my signing, and my initial refusal to make it a general power of attorney.

Secondly, Ernest Holton last visited me on 06Jun04. He curtailed the visit in anger. His visitation application has since expired and he has not renewed it. I have not refused any visits with Ernest Holton.

As you know, the Circuit Court for Bedford County issued the 29Jun05 order directing me to meet with PCDO and Dr. Kenner for the limited purpose of discussing my 'legal status and options.' Dr. Kenner has been present with the PCDO on one visit on 25Aug05. He was to return the next week. He did not.

On 05Oct05, I was informed by the prison staff that a Dr. George Woods was here to see me. My first question to him was "Who sent you?" He told me the PCO had asked him to speak with me. On my way back to my cell, I learned Dr. Woods meets with inmates on both federal and state collateral review. The PCO came an hour later and stated Mr. Ferrell had asked that they introduce Dr. Woods to me.

07Oct05, Dr. Woods came again. He characterized his indiscretion as a mere mistake. He stated he was a neuro-psychiatrist and his intent was to perform what is ostensibly a forensic psychiatric examination. At the risk of a kettle calling the pots black, there is something about these boys that 'ain't quite right.'

I think there is a major difference between discussing one's 'legal status and options' and a forensic evaluation. I understand the nature of ex parte proceedings, however

I do not believe that the purpose of such a pleading is meant to allow the circumvention of a ruling by the Tennessee State Supreme Court (i.e., the Zagorski ruling) and therefore provide an avenue to obtain so-called mitigation evidence against the wishes of an unwilling client.

It is my personal belief that this attempt was outside the bounds of the 29 Jun 05 order of the Circuit Court.

I apologize if I have wasted your time. I see I no longer enjoy service of process from your office by mail. I received your 07 Oct 05 filing (doc. #13) in the Federal matter on 14 Oct 05, from Mr. Ferrell. Given the belated receipt, I cannot say this is an improvement.

I don't think there was anything improper about this correspondence and understand that you may choose to disclose it to the court(s).

Thank you for your time.

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