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RE: State of Louisiana v. James Dickerson
Extradition

Dear Mr. Jones:

As you are aware, an extradition request for the above subject was received from the Office of the Governor of Louisiana. Mr. Dickerson is charged in Louisiana with the crimes of Aggravated Rape. He is presently committed to the South Carolina Department of Mental Health under an Order of Commitment pursuant to the Sexually Violent Predator Act. The Commitment Order was signed by the Honorable John W. Kittredge, Judge for the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Court of Common Pleas, on April 29, 2003.

Mr. Dickerson has signed a waiver to voluntarily return to Louisiana to answer the charges. The assistance of the Attorney General's Office in addressing any issues with the Court concerning the commitment order would be appreciated.

Thank you for your continued cooperation and assistance.

Sincerely,

Robert E. Merritt
Extradition Coordinator