Pam Bondi, Attorney General Office of Attorney General State of Florida The Capitol PL-01 Tallahassee, FL 32399-1050

> RE: Neil J. Gillespie, et al., v. Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Florida, et al. U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit Appeal Number 12-11028-B and Appeal Number 12-11213-C

Dear Attorney General Bondi:

This inquiry concerns your appearance in the above captioned appeal(s).

Previously U.S. Attorney Robert E. O'Neill was listed for Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Florida, et al. on the appellate docket in appeal 12-11028-B, but that was a mistake. See the enclosed Consolidated Notice of Clerk Mistake. (Exhibit 1)

The appellate docket now shows substitute attorney Pam Bondi in 12-11028-B for the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Florida, et al. A copy of the appellate docket is enclosed showing the April 26, 2012 entry. (Exhibit 2)

Please acknowledge to the undersigned if in fact the Florida Office of Attorney General represents the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Florida, et al. in appeal 12-11028-B so that I can serve pleadings that were misdirected to U.S. Attorney Robert E. O'Neill.

The following motions are pending:

Appellants' motion to appear in forma pauperis, March 16, 2012

Appellants' motion to consolidate related appeals, March 14, 2012

Appellants' consolidated motion for accommodation under the Americans with Disabilities Act and appointment of counsel, April 9, 2012.

Please note that a related case is pending before the Florida Supreme Court, SC11-1622. In fact, there are fifteen (15) related cases, see the enclosed list. (Exhibit 3)

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Weil J. Gillespie 8092 SW 115th Loop Ocala, Florida 34481

Telephone: (352) 854-7807

Enclosures



NEIL J. GILLESPIE, ESTATE OF PENELOPE GILLESPIE,

CASE NO.: 12-11028-B

Plaintiffs/Appellants,

CASE NO.: 12-11213-C

VS.

THIRTEENTH JUDICAL CIRCUIT, FLORIDA, et al.

Defendants/Appellees.

CONSOLIDATED NOTICE OF CLERK MISTAKE

RE: U.S. ATTORNEY APPEARANCE

MOTION TO TOLL TIME

1. Appellants, ESTATE OF PENELOPE GILLESPIE and NEIL J. GILLESPIE, hereby give consolidated notice of a letter suggesting a mistake by the Clerk, received from Mr. David P. Rhodes, Assistant United States Attorney, Chief, Appellate Division, on behalf of Robert E. O'Neill, United States Attorney, 400 North Tampa Street, Suite 3200, Tampa, Florida 33602, dated April 12, 2012. (Exhibit 1). The letter, addressed to Neil J. Gillespie ("Gillespie"), 8092 SW 115th Loop, Ocala, Florida 34481, states:

"Thank you for your letter. The Eleventh Circuit Court Clerk had mistakenly listed us as counsel in this appeal. We do not represent anyone in this case, and the Court has corrected its records. So you do not need to serve us with anything associated with your appeal."

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2. Mr. Rhodes' letter was in response to a letter from Gillespie to U.S. Attorney Robert E. O'Neill requesting information about the appearance of the U.S. Attorney in this appeal, as set forth below: (Exhibit 2)

"Dear U.S. Attorney O'Neill:

This inquiry is to understand your appearance in the above captioned appeal(s).

March 8, 2012 I spoke with Melanie Gaddis at (404) 335-6187, the Case Handler for Appeal Number 12-11028-B. Ms. Gaddis said your appearance for the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Florida, et al. was standard procedure. Based on that information I provided you service of copies for the Thirteenth Circuit.

Yesterday I read on the U.S. Attorney's website that "We enforce the criminal laws of the United States and represent the United States' interest in civil judicial proceedings."

Insofar as the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Florida, et al., are state actors, I do not understand your appearance, since there is no United States interest in this case.

Please advise because I do not understand. Should I continue providing your office copies of pleadings in the appeal(s)? Thank you.

- 3. Gillespie moves to toll time so he can determine who represents the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Florida, et al., and serve counsel with the pleadings misdirected to the U.S. Attorney. Catherine Barbara Chapman, counsel for Mr. Bauer, informed Gillespie April 17, 2012 "I do not know who represents the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit.".
- 4. Gillespie provided a copy of this notice to David A. Rowland, Court Counsel for the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Florida, and requests Mr. Rowland identify to Gillespie who represents or accepts service for the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Florida, et al.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED April 18, 2012.

Neil J. Gillespie, pro se

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Certificate of Service

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing was mailed by U.S. Postal

Service first class mail April 18, 2012 to the following:

Robert E. O'Neill, US Attorney (courtesy copy) US Attorney's Office 400 N. Tampa St., Suite 3200 Tampa, FL 33602-4798

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Reply to: Tampa

April 12, 2012

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Very truly yours,

ROBERT E. O'NEILL United-States Attorney

By:

DAVID P. RHODES
Assistant United States Attorney
Chief, Appellate Division

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VIA FAX (813) 274-6358 and U.S.P.S. First Class Mail

April 9, 2012

Robert E. O'Neill, U.S. Attorney U.S. Attorney's Office Middle District of Florida 400 N. Tampa St., Suite 3200 Tampa, FL 33602-4798

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General Docket United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit

Court of Appeals Docket #: 12-11028 Docketed: 02/27/2012

Nature of Suit: 3440 Other Civil Rights

Estate of Penelope Gillespie, et al v. Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, F, et al

Appeal From: Middle District of FloridaCase Handler: Gaddis, Melanie, B

Fee Status: IFP Pending (404) 335-6187

Case Type Information:

1) Private Civil

2) Federal Question

3) -

Originating Court Information:

District: 113A-5 : <u>5:11-cv-00539-WTH-TBS</u>

Civil Proceeding: Wm. Terrell Hodges, -, U.S. District Judge **Secondary Judge:** Thomas B. Smith, -, U.S. Magistrate Judge

Date Filed: 09/16/2011 Date NOA Filed:

02/22/2012

Prior Cases:

None

Current Cases:

None

ESTATE OF PENELOPE GILLESPIE

Plaintiff - Appellant

NEIL J. GILLESPIE, Personal Representative of the Estate,

Survivor

Plaintiff - Appellant

Neil J. Gillespie, -[NTC Pro Se]

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OCALA, FL 34481

versus

THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, FLORIDA

Defendant - Appellee

Pam Bondi, [COR NTC Government]
Office of the Attorney Gener

Office of the Attorney General Firm: 850-414-3300

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TALLAHASSEE, FL 32399-1050

JAMES M. BARTON, II, Circuit Court Judge, and individually

Defendant - Appellee

Pam Bondi, -

[COR NTC Government]

(see above)

THE LAW OFFICE OF ROBERT W. BAUER, P.A.

Defendant - Appellee

ROBERT W. BAUER

Defendant - Appellee

EXHIBIT 2

ESTATE OF PENELOPE GILLESPIE,

 ${\sf NEIL\ J.\ GILLESPIE},$

Personal Representative of the Estate, Survivor,

Plaintiffs - Appellants,

versus

THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, FLORIDA, HON. JAMES M. BARTON, II, Circuit Court Judge, and individually, THE LAW OFFICE OF ROBERT W. BAUER, P.A., ROBERT W. BAUER,

Defendants - Appellees.

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02/27/2012	3 pg, 93.15 KB	CIVIL APPEAL DOCKETED. Notice of appeal filed by Appellant Estate of Penelope Gillespie on 02/22/2012. Fee Status: Fee Not Paid.
02/27/2012	2 pg, 67.3 KB	USDC order denying IFP as to Appellant Estate of Penelope Gillespie was filed on 02/27/2012. Docket Entry 22.
02/27/2012		The Transcript Order Form has not been filed as to Appellant Estate of Penelope Gillespie. There are no hearings to be transcribed.
03/14/2012	1 pg, 47.83 KB	Appellant's Certificate of Interested Persons and Corporate Disclosure Statement filed by Appellant Estate of Penelope Gillespie.
03/14/2012	13 pg, 1.39 MB	MOTION to consolidate appeals filed by Appellant Estate of Penelope Gillespie. Opposition to Motion is Unknown [6519296-1]
03/16/2012		MOTION to proceed IFP filed by Appellant Neil J. Gillespie. Opposition to Motion is Unknown [6524989-1]
03/16/2012	1 pg, 29.59 KB	Appellant's Certificate of Interested Persons and Corporate Disclosure Statement filed by Appellant Neil J. Gillespie.
04/09/2012	12 pg, 783.88 KB	MOTION Accommodation under the Americans with Disabilities Act - Waiver of Confidentiality; Motion to toll time; for appointment of counsel filed by Appellant Neil J. Gillespie. Opposition to Motion is Unknown [6538485-1]**extensive exhibits not scanned**
04/23/2012	5 pg, 562.6 KB	Supplemental Consolidated Motion to Toll Time filed by Appellant Neil J. Gillespie.
04/26/2012		Substitute attorney: Attorneys Robert E. O'Neill and Robert E. O'Neill in 12-11028 substituted by Attorneys Pam Bondi and Pam Bondi in 12-11028

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15 Cases Related to Gillespie v. Barker, Rodems & Cook, PA, 05-CA-7205

1. <u>BRC v. Gillespie</u>, vexatious libel counterclaim in 05-CA-7205, January 19, 2006 - September 28, 2010. (Mr. Bauer appeared for Gillespie April 2, 2007 through October 1, 2009)

Related Cases in the Second District Court of Appeal, Florida:

- 2. Case No. 06-3803: Gillespie v. BRC, discovery sanctions (Gillespie pro se) (closed)
- 3. <u>Case No. 07-4530</u>: BRC v. Gillespie, voluntary dismissal (Mr. Bauer for Gillespie) (closed)
- 4. <u>Case No. 08-2224</u>: Gillespie v. BRC, § 57.105 sanctions (Mr. Bauer for Gillespie) (closed)
- 5. <u>Case No. 10-5197</u>: Gillespie v. BRC, appeal final summary judgment (Gillespie pro se) (closed)
- 6. <u>Case No. 10-5529</u>: Gillespie v. BRC, prohibition, Judge Cook (Gillespie pro se) (closed)
- 7. Case No. 11-2127: Gillespie v. BRC, prohibition/venue, Judge Arnold (Gillespie pro se) (closed)

Related Cases in the Supreme Court of Florida:

- 8. <u>Case No. SC11-858</u>: Gillespie v. BRC, habeas corpus, prohibition (Gillespie pro se) (closed)
- 9. Case No. SC11-1622: Gillespie v. BRC, mandamus, other relief (Gillespie pro se) (active)

Related Cases in the U.S. District Court, Middle District of Florida, Ocala Div.:

- 10. <u>Case No. 10-cv-00503</u>: Gillespie v. Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, FL, et al, Civil Rights/ADA (Gillespie pro se) (closed, appeal)
- 11. <u>Case No. 11-cv00539</u>: Estate/Gillespie v. Thirteenth Judicial Circuit., FL, et al, Civil Rights/ADA (Gillespie pro se) (closed, appeal)

Related Cases in the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit:

- 12. <u>Case No. 12-11028-B</u>: Estate/Gillespie v. Thirteenth Judicial Circuit., FL, et al, Civil Rights/ADA (Gillespie pro se) (active)
- 13. <u>Case No. 12-11213-C</u>: Gillespie v. Thirteenth Judicial Circuit., FL, et al, Civil Rights/ADA (Gillespie pro se) (active)

Related Cases in the Supreme Court of the United States:

- 14. <u>Rule 22 Application to Justice Thomas May 31, 2011</u>, not docketed/returned. (Gillespie pro se) Emergency Petition for Stay or Injunction, re: Supreme Court of Florida SC11-858
- 15. <u>Rule 22 Application to Justice Thomas June 11, 2011</u>, not docketed/returned. (Gillespie pro se) Emergency Petition for Stay or Injunction, re: Supreme Court of Florida SC11-858