THIS IS A CAPITAL CASE

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS WESTERN DIVISION

DAMIEN WAYNE ECHOLS,) Case No. 5:04CV00391-BSM
Petitioner,)
VS.	
LARRY NORRIS, Director, Arkansas Department of Corrections, Respondent.))))

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Pursuant to this Court's Letter Order issued on November 21, 2007, petitioner Damien Echols hereby reports that proceedings in the Craighead County Circuit Court in Arkansas relating to his motion for post-conviction relief pursuant to Ark. Code § 16-112-201, et seq., are continuing as described in Echols's July, 2011, status report to this Court.

Petitioner Echols will inform this Court of further developments in the relevant state court proceedings in his September, 2011, report to this Court.

DATED: August 4, 2011 Respectfully submitted,

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