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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

STATE OF OHIO, :

Plaintiff-Appellee, :

-vs- :

Case No. 13-0629

GARY HUGHBANKS, JR. :

Capital Case

Defendant-Appellant. :

On Appeal From The Court Of Appeals, First Appellate District,
Hamilton County, Ohio, App. No. C-120351

Notice Of Appeal Of Appellant Gary Hughbanks, Jr.

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Notice Of Appeal Of Appellant Gary Hughbanks, Jr.

Appellant Gary Hughbanks, Jr. hereby gives notice of appeal to the Supreme Court of Ohio from the judgment of the Hamilton County Court of Appeals, Fifth Appellate District, entered in Court of Appeals Case No. C-120351 on March 6, 2013.

This case involves the denial of Gary Hughbanks, Jr.'s post-conviction appeal, in which he sought relief from conviction for capital murder and his resulting death sentence. This case involves substantial constitutional questions, felonies, and questions of public or great general interest. *See* Sup. Ct. R. Prac. Sections 5.02(A)(1), (2), and (3).

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing *Notice of Appeal of Appellant Gary Hughbanks, Jr.* was forwarded by regular U.S. Mail to Ronald W. Springman, Chief Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Hamilton County Prosecutor's Office, 230 E. Ninth Street, Suite 4000, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202, on this the 22nd day of April 2012.

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