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Ms. Karen S. Mitchell  
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United States District Court  
1100 Commerce Street  
Earle Cabell Federal Building  
Room 1452  
Dallas, TX 75242

No. 09-70034, Mark Stroman v. Rick Thaler, Director  
USDC No. 3:05-CV-1616

Dear Ms. Mitchell:

Enclosed is a copy of an opinion-order entered on 12/27/2010. We have closed the case in this court.

We will forward the record on appeal at a later date.

Sincerely,

LYLE W. CAYCE, Clerk

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Enclosures

cc:

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