Transmittal Letter

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***is not provided to appellant)\****

**[Appellant]**

**[Mailing address]**

**[City]**, **[State] [ZIP code]**

RE: Cause No. 10-\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_\_\_-CV

*In the Interest of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, a Child(ren)*

Dear **[appellant]**:

Enclosed please find a copy of the *Anders* brief that I filed with the Court of Appeals in your case. After a diligent search of both the record in your case and the applicable law, I could not find anything that would constitute reversible error.

As the *Anders* brief reflects, the law accords you the right to review the record of your trial and file any brief or response that you deem necessary on your own behalf. You can obtain a copy of the record by filling out the enclosed *Motion for Pro Se Access to the Appellate Record* and mailing it, as soon as possible, to the Clerk, Tenth Court of Appeals, McLennan County Courthouse, 501 Washington Ave., Room 415, Waco, TX 76701-1373.

If you mail the enclosed *Motion*, you will be provided a copy of the appellate record, and then you will have approximately 20 days to file a brief or response with the Court of Appeals. If you do not mail the enclosed *Motion*, you have approximately 20 days from the date of this letter in which to file a brief or response with the Court of Appeals. One additional copy of the brief or response should also be mailed to **[name of opposing counsel]**, **[mailing address]**.

In the event the Court of Appeals affirms the trial court’s order, the next step of the process, if you wish to pursue it, is a petition for review to the Supreme Court of Texas.

 Sincerely,

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