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S.C. SUPREME COURT

The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk, Supreme Court of South Carolina
P.O. Box 11330
Columbia, SC 29211-1330

RE: Demetrio Sears, #271284 v. State of South Carolina; 06-CP-40-1599

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

My Reply to Amended Return to Petition for a Writ of Certiorari is due to be filed in this matter on June 18, 2012. Due to my heavy State and federal trial and appellate court schedules, I will be unable to complete my work on the Reply by that date. Therefore, I respectfully request a ten-day extension of time in which to prepare and file the Reply on behalf of this client.

There have been no previous extension requests in this matter. With my thanks for the Court's attention to this matter, and my best regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,


Jeremy A. Thompson
Attorney and Counselor at Law

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cc: Brian T. Petrano, Assistant Attorney General
Demetrio Sears, #271284