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The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Supreme Court
P.O. Box 11330
Columbia, SC 29211

RE: Darius Darnell Hamilton v. State
Appellate Case No. 2023-000072

Dear Ms. Howard:

The Return To Petition For Writ Of Certiorari in the above-referenced post-conviction relief appeal is due to be served and filed today, June 8, 2023. However, due to a heavy workload, I am requesting a thirty-day extension to serve and file this brief. This is the first extension request in this case, it is being sought based for good cause, and it is not intended for the purpose of delay.

I appreciate your consideration of this request. By copy of this letter, I am informing counsel for the Petitioner of this extension request.

Sincerely,

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cc: Elizabeth Franklin-Best, Esquire (*via electronic mail*)
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