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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
Clerk, Supreme Court of South Carolina  
Post Office Box 11330  
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S.C. SUPREME COURT

RE: **Brenda Gail Cutro, #212971 v. State of South Carolina**  
**Appellate Case No: 2012-212782**

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Return to Petition for a Writ of Certiorari in the above appeal is due to be served and filed today. However, this is to respectfully request a 30-day extension to serve and file this Return.

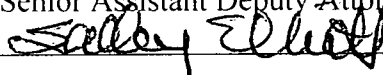
This extension request is not intended for the purpose of delay. Rather, this extension request is necessitated by a heavy workload and is for good cause. Due to this appeal having a 5,500 page record and potentially complex issues, as well as work on other matters including the completion of the initial brief of respondent in State v. Loftin, work on the initial brief of respondent in State v. Hendricks and State v. Jones in the Court of Appeals, completion of the Brief of Respondent in Smith v. State for this Court, preparation of a lengthy proposed order in Patterson v. State, and preparation of approximately 10 post-conviction relief cases in circuit court for the week of July 8. Opposing counsel indicates consent by the signature below.

Sincerely,

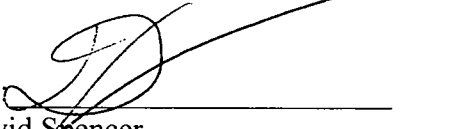
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