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July 17, 2023

The Honorable Patricia A. Howard  
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Supreme Court  
Post Office Box 11330  
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re: Angelita Nicole Wright v. State of South Carolina  
Appellate Case No: 2023-000965

Dear Ms. Howard:

The Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari is due to be served and filed on today, July 17, 2023. Undersigned counsel hereby request a 20-day extension in which to serve and file its Return. Due to counsel's caseload, including addressing capital matters, counsel has been unable to complete the return.

I respectfully request this Court grant an extension until August 7, 2023 to serve and file the Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari. Opposing counsel has consented to all extension requests through July 31, 2023.

Sincerely,

*s/ Melody J. Brown*

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