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Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
South Carolina Supreme Court Clerk of Court  
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Columbia, SC 29201

**S.C. Supreme Court**

RE: *L. Paul Trask, Jr., Individually, as a Citizen, Resident, Taxpayer and Registered Elector of the State of South Carolina, and on behalf of others similarly situated v. South Carolina Department of Public Safety; Beaufort County; Beaufort County Management Information Systems; Beaufort County Coroner Curtis Copeland in His Official Capacity; Beaufort County Sheriff P.J. Tanner In His Official Capacity*  
Case No: 2007-CP-07-0995, South Carolina Court of Appeals  
Our File No. 01431-Trask FOIA

Dear Hon. Shearouse:

Enclosed herein for filing in the above-referenced case, pursuant to Rule 240 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules, please find one (1) original and seven (7) copies of Petitioner's Motion For Extension Of Time In Which To File Replies To All Respondents' Returns To Petition For Writ Of Certiorari together with a Proof of Service for the same. A check in the amount of \$25.00 is enclosed for the applicable filing fee. Please return one file stamped copy to me in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

Based upon the current briefing schedule, Mr. Trask's Replies to all Respondents' Returns to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari are currently due on or before Monday, 8 July 2013. Consequently, anticipating a favorable reception to and subsequent grant of this motion, Mr. Trask's Replies to all Respondents' Returns to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari would then be due no later than Thursday, 18 July 2013. Finally, Mr. Trask respectfully requests this Supreme Court to hold the briefing time in abeyance until such time as this motion may be considered and ruled upon.

Please be advised that by copy of this letter, I am simultaneously serving opposing counsel and all involved parties with a copy of the same.

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Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at your convenience.

With kindest regards, I am

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jason S. Smith". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "S" and "Smith".

Jason S. Smith

Encs.

cc: R. Achurch, Howell, Gibson & Hughes, P.A. (w/encl.)  
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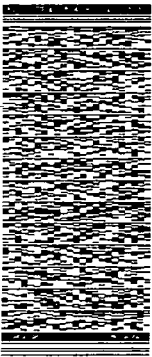
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