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October 4, 2023

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

RE: State v. Charles Davenport – Appellate Case No. 2023-001541

Dear Ms. Howard:

Earlier today, the State received the attached order from the Court of Appeals recalling the remittitur in Petitioner Charles Davenport's criminal appeal. As a result, appellate jurisdiction has now been restored in this matter, and the petition for a writ of certiorari that has been filed by Petitioner with this Court now no longer appears to be premature. Accordingly, pursuant to my calculations, the State's return to the petition will be due on or before November 3, 2023. Thank you very much, and please let me know if it appears I have made any errors with my calculation of the applicable due date for the return.

Sincerely,

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Attachment

cc: Elizabeth A. Franklin-Best, Esquire (via email service)
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