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The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court
Post Office Box 11330
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Re: In the Matter of the Care and Treatment of Thomas Griffin
Appellate Case No. 2021-001228


Dear Ms. Howard:

The brief of petitioner in the above-referenced case are due to be served and filed today. Because of my present workload, I respectfully request a ten (10) day extension of this deadline. No prior extensions have been requested.

On October 3, opposing counsel, the Attorney General's Office, graciously consented to this extension request by way of general consent granted in writing, by Deputy Attorney General Donald J. Zelenka for all Appellate Defense extensions through October 31.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



Joanna K. Delany
Appellate Defender

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cc: Deborah R. J. Shupe, Esquire