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Honorable Patricia A. Howard  
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court  
Post Office Box 11330  
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Re: Stepheno Alston v. The State of South Carolina  
Appellate Case No. 2023-001011

Dear Ms. Howard:

The petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the above-referenced case are due to be served and filed November 13, 2023. Because of my present workload, I respectfully request a thirty-day extension of this deadline. No prior extensions have been requested in this case.

Opposing counsel, the Attorney General's Office, has graciously consented to this extension request by way of the thirty day general consent granted by Deputy Attorney General Donald J. Zelenka for all Appellate Defense extensions through November 30, 2023. That emailed general consent was dated October 31, 2023.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Kathrine H. Hudgins  
Appellate Defender

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cc: Suzanne Shaw, Esquire