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

**RE:** Derrick Miller v. State of South Carolina  
Appellate Case No. **2023-000470**

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please be advised that Suzanne Shaw, Esquire, has left the South Carolina Attorney General's Office and should be removed as counsel of record for the State in the above case. Please add me as counsel of record for the State and forward all future correspondence and documents regarding this matter to me.

The Return To The Petition For Writ Of Certiorari in the above-referenced post-conviction relief appeal is due to be served and filed today, January 2, 2024. However, due to a heavy workload, I am requesting a thirty-day extension to serve and file this return. This is the **third** extension request in this case, it is being sought based on good cause, and it is not intended for the purpose of delay.

I appreciate your consideration of this request and ask that the filing deadlines be held in abeyance while this request is pending.

By copy of this letter, I am informing counsel for the Petitioner of this extension request.

Sincerely,

Joshua A. Edwards  
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cc:

~~Kathleen H. Hudgins, Esquire~~ (via email service)  
*Jessica M. Saxon, Esquire*  
Victim Advocacy Division

I have reviewed and approve this extension request:



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MARK R. FARTHING  
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

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