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

**Re: Daniel Lewis Crowe v. State of South Carolina**  
**Appellate Case No. 2023-000368**

Dear Ms. Howard:

The Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above appeal is due to be served and filed on today's date. However, the State respectfully requests a **third**, thirty-day extension to serve and file this Return. This extension request is not intended for the purpose of delay and is necessitated by a heavy workload.

Sincerely,

Ambree Muller  
Assistant Attorney General  
SC Bar No. 104213

I have reviewed and approve this extension request:

MARK R. FARTHING  
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

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cc: Kathrine H. Hudgins, Esquire (via electronic mail)  
Victim Advocacy Division