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February 5, 2024

Honorable Patricia A. Howard  
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court  
Post Office Box 11330  
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Re: Gerald Jarrod Ancrum v. The State of South Carolina  
Appellate Case No. 2023-001730

Dear Ms. Howard:

The petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the above-referenced case are due to be served and filed February 5, 2024. 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 February 29, 2024. That emailed general consent was dated January 31, 2024.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jessica M. Saxon", is written over the typed name and title.

Jessica M. Saxon  
Appellate Defender

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cc: Tracy A. Meyers, Esquire