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**S.C. Supreme Court.**

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ATTORNEY GENERAL

August 7, 2013

The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
Clerk of Court  
South Carolina Supreme Court  
P.O. Box 11330  
Columbia, SC 29211

**RE: Juan Tyree Smith a/k/a Jwan Tyree Smith v. State**  
**Appellate Case No. 2013-000018**

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the aforementioned matter are due to be served and filed today. I would respectfully request a third 30-day extension in which to serve and file the Return. The Appendix, however, is enclosed for filing. This request is not intended for the purpose of delay. Rather, this request is necessitated by my workload. In the past month, I have filed a return to petition for writ of certiorari in Stanley Butler v. State, a return to petition for writ of certiorari in Angel Gonzales v. State, and a return to petition for writ of certiorari in Matthew Gilliard v. State. In addition, I am drafting a petition for writ of certiorari in Horace Abney v. State to be filed in the Court tomorrow. I have also represented the State at a term of post-conviction relief court in the Fourth Judicial Circuit. Opposing counsel indicates consent by the signature below.

Sincerely,

Karen C. Ratigan  
Assistant Deputy Attorney General  
S.C. Bar # 68331

I CONSENT:

David Alexander, Esquire

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Senior Deputy Assistant Attorney General