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

Re: James Robertson v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No: 2023-000505

Dear Ms. Howard:

Please be advised that Respondent has received Petitioner's Supplemental Motion to Appoint Counsel. Respondent respectfully requests the Court accept this letter in lieu of a formal return. Respondent takes no position on the matter of appointment of counsel. Respondent consents to a 10-day extension request for filing the Return. Should anything further be required in response, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

s/Melody J. Brown

Melody J. Brown
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

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cc: William H. Ehliès, II, Esquire (via email only)