

March 29, 2024

The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
Post Office Box 11629
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re: *The State v. Devante Lamont White*
Appeal from Beaufort County
Appellate Case No. 2022-001793

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

I hereby request an extension of thirty (30) days up to and including May 1, 2024, in which to file the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter in the above-referenced case. The Initial Brief is currently due to be served and filed Monday, April 1, 2024. However, because of my involvement in other matters in state and federal court, I have been unable to timely complete the Initial Brief.

Therefore, I am requesting this extension within which to serve and file the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter. Opposing counsel has graciously consented to all extension requests through March 31, 2024, and I am informing opposing counsel of my request by copy of this letter.

Sincerely,

s/Julianna E. Battenfield
Julianna E. Battenfield
Assistant Attorney General

JEB:brb

cc: Breen R. Stevens, Esquire