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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
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**S.C. Supreme Court**

Re: Michael Lee Jones v. The State  
Appellate Case No. 2013-000899

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case are due to be served and filed with the Court today, August 9, 2013. However, because of my heavy workload at this time, I am requesting an extension for 30 days, in which to serve and file the petition.

By copy of this letter, I am informing Karen C. Ratigan, of the Attorney General's Office, of my request.

Sincerely,



Benjamin J. Tripp  
Appellate Defender

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cc: Karen C. Ratigan, Esquire