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September 03, 2024

The Honorable Jenny Kitchings  
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals  
Post Office Box 11629  
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Re: The State v. Cynethia K. Morton  
Appellate Case No. 2024-000377

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the above-referenced case are due to be served and filed today. Because of my present workload, I respectfully request a thirty (30) day extension of this deadline. No prior extensions have been requested in this case.

On August 30, 2024, opposing counsel, the Attorney General's office, graciously consented to this extension request by way of general consent granted in writing, by Deputy Attorney General Donald J. Zelenka for all Appellate Defense extensions through September 30, 2024.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "R M Dudek", with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

Robert M. Dudek  
Chief Appellate Defender

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cc: Mark Farthing, Esquire

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Good Morning,

Attached for service in the above-referenced case is the First Motion for Extension which will be filed today, September 3, 2024, with the Court of Appeals via email filing.

Respectfully,  
Kaylynn

**Kaylynn Warren**

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