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

Re: State of South Carolina v. Johnnie Walker Gaskins;  
2008-GS-40-3948, 1626,1627,1629, 1631,1632.  
Appellate Case No. 2010-151386

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

I am retained counsel for this client in the above captioned appeal. This is an appeal from a Court of Appeals decision. My Petition for Writ of Certiorari is due on September 5, 2013. Because of my heavy schedule, I will be unable to complete my work on this Petition. I now respectfully request a 30-day extension of time in which to prepare and submit my Petition for Writ of Certiorari on behalf of this client.

There have been no previous extension requests in this matter. By copy of this letter, I am advising opposing counsel, Donald J. Zelenka, Assistant Deputy Attorney General, of this request. With my thanks for the Court's kind assistance in this matter, I remain,

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tara Dawn Shurling".

Tara Dawn Shurling  
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cc: ✓ The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings, Clerk, SC Court of Appeals  
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