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October 21, 2024

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

RE: Ronnie C. Swofford v. State of South Carolina  
Appellate Case No: 2021-001436

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The Brief of Respondent is due to be served and filed today, October 21, 2024. Undersigned counsel hereby requests a 30-day extension in which to serve and file its Brief. Due to counsel's caseload, including addressing capital matters, counsel has been unable to complete the brief.

I respectfully request this Court grant an extension until November 20, 2024 to serve and file the Brief of Respondent. Opposing counsel has consented to all extension request through October 31, 2024.

Sincerely,

Melody J. Brown  
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

In compliance with:

*In Re: Extensions in Criminal and Post-Conviction Relief Cases*, (S.C. Sup. Ct. order dated March 18, 2009) (Davis Adv. Sh. No. 13 at 1).

DONALD J. ZELENKA  
Deputy Attorney General

cc: Joanna K. Delany, Esquire (via email only)

## Angela Brown

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Ms. Delany, please find attached the state's request for an extension of time to serve and file the Brief of Respondent in the above referenced appeal. The request will be electronically filed with the Court of Appeals on today's date.

Thank you,

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