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The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
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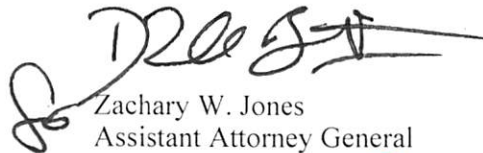
Re: Kenny O. Ruff v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No.: 2023-001998

Dear Ms. Howard,

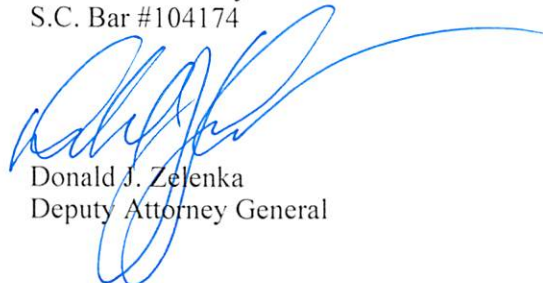
Respondent's Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above-referenced post-conviction relief appeal was due to be served and filed on November 12, 2024. Respondent respectfully requests a third, thirty-day extension to serve and file this Return based on the heavy caseload of undersigned counsel. Counsel for Petitioner has consented to this extension request pursuant to a reciprocal agreement between the Office of the Attorney General and the Office of Appellate Defense.

If I can provide the Court with any additional information regarding this extension request, please let me know.

Sincerely,



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