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December 27, 2024  
(via electronic submission only)

The Honorable Patricia A. Howard  
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court  
P.O. Box 11330  
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re: *Marqual Devine Griffin v. State of South of Carolina*  
Certiorari to Greenville County  
Appellate Case No. 2024-000091

Dear Ms. Howard:

The Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari is due to be served and filed today, December 27, 2024. However, due to other professional obligations, I have not had sufficient time to complete the Return. Therefore, by this letter, I am respectfully requesting an extension of fourteen (14) days up to and including January 10, 2025, in which to file the Return. Opposing counsel has graciously consented to all extensions through December 31, 2024.

Sincerely,

*s/Melody J. Brown*

Melody J. Brown

Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

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