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May 5, 2025

The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Supreme Court
Post Office Box 11330
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re: The State v. Tremaine P. Johnson
Appellate Case No: 2025-000531

Dear Ms. Howard:

The Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari is due to be served and filed today, May 5, 2025. Undersigned counsel hereby requests an additional 5-day extension in which to serve and file its Return. Due to counsel's caseload, including addressing capital matters, counsel has been unable to complete the return.

I respectfully request this Court grant an extension until May 12, 2025 to serve and file the Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari. Opposing counsel has graciously consented to this extension request.

Sincerely,

s/ Melody J. Brown

Melody J. Brown
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

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cc: Elizabeth Franklin-Best, Esquire (via email only)