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The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk, Supreme Court of South Carolina
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S.C. SUPREME COURT

RE: Terry Catoe v. State, App. Case No.: 2025-000560

Dear Madam Clerk:

For the above referenced appeal, I am writing to request my fourth thirty-day extension to serve and file the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix. I am making this request due the following extraordinary circumstances.

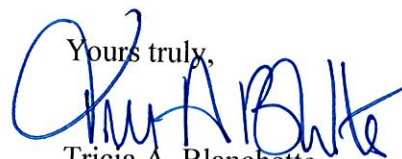
1. As detailed in my last request for extension, I experienced issues with verifying the exhibits needed to be included in the Appendix. It has now been completed and is being utilized to finalize the Appendix.
2. A heavy caseload, to include the preparation and submission of the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendices in Keshawn Rice v. State this month, writing two proposed Orders and handling other matters in the Circuit Court in the last month.
3. As addressed in a prior extension, I had to relocate from my office space in April to allow for repairs from the hurricane last year. This week, I have received clearance to move back in, so I have been working evenings and over the weekend to prepare for moving this upcoming weekend.
4. Medical issues that I have shared in detail with Russ Barlow, Senior Assistant Attorney General, that have required doctor's appointments, tests and several surgical procedures.
5. In July, I requested and have been approved for a visit with Petitioner in August to review the Petition before filing.

For these reasons, I respectfully request a fourth extension of 30 days. I have provided this information to Russ Barlow, Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General, and I have obtained his below consent.



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Thank you for your assistance with this matter. Please contact me if any additional information is needed.

Yours truly,

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I consent,

/s/ Russ Barlow
Russ Barlow
Senior Assistant Attorney General

cc: Russ Barlow, Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General (via email)
Terry Catoe