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The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk of the South Carolina Supreme Court
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Columbia, SC 29211
(via e-mail only - suptfilings@sccourts.org)

Re: Angela M. Vaughn v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No.: 2025-000263

Dear Ms. Howard,

Respondent's Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above-referenced post-conviction relief appeal is due to be served and filed today. Respondent respectfully requests a first, thirty-day extension to serve and file this Return based on the heavy caseload of undersigned counsel.

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

Sincerely,

Talida Balaj
Assistant Attorney General
SC Bar No. 106523

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cc: Sarah E. Shipe, Counsel for Petitioner (via e-mail only)