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**January 9, 2026**

The Honorable Patricia A. Howard  
Clerk of Court, SC Supreme Court  
P.O. Box 11629  
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**Re: Jonathan Cody Newman v. State  
PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI AND APPENDIX  
Case No. 2025-000405**

Dear Ms. Howard:

I have enclosed the original Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix, along with a Certificate of Service that I emailed and mailed for filing today in the above-referenced case. Thank you for your assistance with filing these documents.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Enclosures (noted)  
cc: **Jonathan Cody Newman**  
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