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Via Email Only

The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk of Court
South Carolina Supreme Court
Email: supctfilings@sccourts.org

RE: Luther Marcus, #218408 v. South Carolina Department of Corrections
Appellate Case Number: 2025-002574
Our File Number: 340.20837

Dear Ms. Howard:

I am in receipt of the Court's letter dated December 31, 2025, request that the Appellant South Carolina Department of Corrections serve and file a "memorandum addressing the issue of appealability" by today's date. I would respectfully request a 10-day extension of time to serve and file that appealability memorandum. This extension is needed due to other deadlines that I currently have, including two briefs due in federal district court as well as a Supreme Court oral argument on January 13, 2026. I am not including a filing fee because the Appellant is a state agency.

If you have any questions, please advise. Thank you for your assistance.

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cc: **Via U.S. Mail**
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