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The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings  
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Court of Appeals  
P.O. Box 11629  
Columbia, SC 29201

RE: Chavias Jenkins v. State of South Carolina – Appellate Case No. 2024-000244

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above appeal is due to be served and filed on today's date. However, the State respectfully requests a third, thirty-day extension to serve and file this Return. This extension request is not intended for the purpose of delay and is necessitated by a heavy workload.

Sincerely,

Ambree M. Muller  
Assistant Attorney General  
S.C. Bar Number: 104213

I have reviewed and approve this extension request:

MARK R. FARTHING  
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

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cc: Gary H. Johnson, II, Esquire (via email service)  
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