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**SC Court of Appeals**

Wanda H. Carter, Chief Appellate Defender

June 15, 2026

The Honorable Jenny Kitchings  
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals  
Post Office Box 11629  
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Re: The State v. Bralen E. Barksdale  
Appellate Case No. 2025-001939

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the above-referenced case are due to be served and filed today. Because of my present workload, I respectfully request a thirty (30) day extension of this deadline. No prior extensions have been requested in this case.

On May 26, 2026, opposing counsel, the Attorney General's office, graciously consented to this extension request by way of general consent granted in writing, by Deputy Attorney General Donald J. Zelenka for all Appellate Defense extensions through June 30, 2026.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Molly M Keegan  
Appellate Defender

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cc: Melody J. Brown, Esquire