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The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk of the Supreme Court of South Carolina
P.O. Box 11330
Columbia, SC 29211

Re: *Bobby Wayne Stone v. State of South Carolina*, Case No. 2026-00115

Dear Ms. Howard,

Respondent Bobby Stone's Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in this capital post-conviction appeal are due to be filed on July 13, 2026, in the above-styled case. This letter is to respectfully request a first 30-day extension to serve and file the Return. This extension is necessary due to the heavy workload of counsel for Mr. Stone.

Sincerely,



Rosalind S. D. Major

cc: Melody Brown, Esq. (via email)
Richard Brandon Larabee, Esq. (via email)