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July 31, 2026

The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court
Post Office Box 11330
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Re: The State v. Marcus A. Wigfall, Appellate Case No. 2026-001581
Honorable Jennifer B. McCoy, Circuit Court Judge
Opinion No. 6140 (S.C. Ct. App. filed March 11, 2026)

Dear Ms. Howard:

The petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals in the above-referenced case is due to be served and filed today, July 31, 2026. Because of my present workload, I respectfully request a five-day extension of this deadline, until August 7, 2026. Two prior extensions have been requested in this case.

On July 2, 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 August 1, 2026.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Joanna K. Delany
Appellate Defender

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cc: Mark R. Farthing, Esquire