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September 9, 2026

The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk, Supreme Court of South Carolina
Post Office Box 11330
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re: The State v. Micah Christian Sylve Brown
Appellate Case No: 2026-

Dear Ms. Howard:

The Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix are due to be served and filed Friday, September 11, 2026. Undersigned counsel hereby requests a 20-day extension, running from the date the petition and appendix are currently due, in which to serve and file these documents. Notably, prior counsel for the State has accepted employment outside the office and no longer represents the State, thus, undersigned counsel requires more time to become adequately familiar with the record. However, due to the undersigned's existing caseload, counsel has been unable to complete review of the necessary documents and prepare a proper petition.

Therefore, based on the foregoing, the undersigned respectfully requests that this Court grant an extension until October 1, 2026, to serve and file the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix.

Opposing counsel has consented to all extensions through October 1, 2026.

Sincerely,

s/ Melody J. Brown

Melody J. Brown
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

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cc: The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
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