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October 2, 2026

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

RE: Dennis Michael Gallipeau v. State – Appellate Case No. 2025-000890

Dear Ms. Howard:

The above-referenced appeal is currently scheduled for oral argument before this Court on November 4, 2026, at 9:30 a.m. This letter is to request permission from the Court for undersigned counsel to be added as counsel of record for the State and to represent the State in the oral argument before this Court. Thank you very much for your consideration of this request, and please contact me at (803) 734-4117 if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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