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The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
1015 Sumter Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

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SC Court of Appeals

Re: The State v. Michael Lee Cardwell
Appellate Case No. 2012-212566

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter in the above appeal are due to be served and filed today, January 16, 2014. However, due to a heavy workload, I am requesting a 30-day extension to serve and file these documents. This is the first extension request, and it is not intended for the purpose of delay.

I appreciate your consideration of this request, and ask that the filing deadlines be held in abeyance while this request is pending. By copy of this letter, I am advising counsel for the Appellant of this extension request.

Sincerely,

William M. Blich, Jr.
Assistant Deputy Attorney General

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