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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Supreme Court
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S.C. Supreme Court

Re: The State v. James L. Carrier
Appellate Case No: 2012-212777

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter in the above appeal are due to be served and filed today. I would respectfully request a 30-day extension in which to serve and file this brief and designation.

This extension request is not intended for the purpose of delay, but is necessitated by my heavy workload.

Sincerely,

J. Benjamin Aplin
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S.C. Bar No: 8729

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