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October 21, 2026

The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Court of Appeals
Post Office Box 11629
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re: Storm Riley Brian McCarthy v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No: 2023-001157

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The Brief of Petitioner with copies of the Appendix are due to be served and filed today, October 21, 2026. Undersigned counsel hereby requests a 30-day extension in which to serve these documents. Due to counsel's caseload, including addressing capital matters, counsel has been unable to complete the Brief.

I respectfully request this Court grant an extension until November 20, 2026, to serve and file the Brief of Petitioner and Appendix. Opposing counsel has consented to all extension requests through November 1, 2026.

Sincerely,

s/ Melody J. Brown

Melody J. Brown
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

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Ms. Delany, please find attached the State's request for additional time to serve and file the Brief of Petitioner in the above appeal. The request will be electronically filed with the Court of Appeals on today' date.

Thank you,

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