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February 17, 2014

The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
1015 Sumter Street
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Columbia, SC 29211

Re: State v. Larold Lee Morris
Appellate Case No. 2013-000682

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The Reply Brief of Appellant in the above appeal is due to be served and filed February 21, 2014. However, because of a heavy workload due to a one-week trial in Charleston County Family Court scheduled to begin February 24, 2014, I am requesting a 20-day extension to file the Reply. This is Appellant's first extension request in this case, and it is not intended for the purpose of delay.

I appreciate your consideration of this request and ask that you hold the filing time in abeyance during the time in which this request is pending.

By copy of this letter, I am informing counsel for Respondent of this extension request.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely,



Chris Paton

Cc: Norman Mark Rapoport, Esquire;
Robert M. Dudek, Esquire
Mr. Larold Morris

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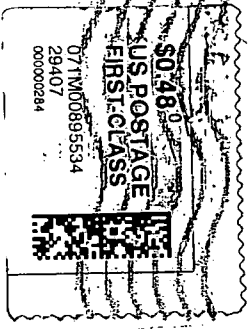
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