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Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings  
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals  
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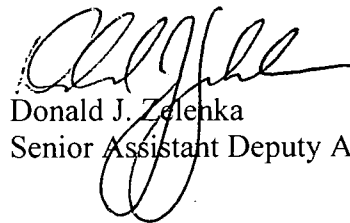
Re: State v. Thomas Stewart  
Appellate Case No. 2012-213655

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The Initial Brief of Respondent in the above-referenced case is due to be filed on the above date. I am requesting an extension of thirty (30) days to file and serve Respondent's Brief. Due to counsel's heavy caseload and other court commitments, counsel has been unable to prepare the brief.

By copy of this letter I am serving opposing counsel with this request.

Sincerely,



Donald J. Zelenka  
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

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