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S.C. Supreme Court

The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court
Post Office Box 11330
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re: *Stephen Corey Bryant v. The State of South Carolina*
Appeal from Sumter County
Appellate Case No.: 2013-000518

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The State's Return to Mr. Bryant's Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above-referenced action is due to be filed and served today, May 27, 2014. Due to my heavy caseload, I have not been able to complete the return. Therefore, I respectfully request a thirty (30) day extension within which to complete and file the return.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Melody J. Brown
Senior Assistant Attorney General

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cc: Susan Hackett, Esq.