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Re: Timothy J. McKinney v. State  
Appellate Case No. 2014-000371

Dear Counsel:

This Court has received your request for an extension to serve and file the petition for a writ of certiorari in this matter.

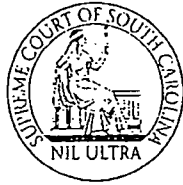
In reviewing this file, this Court did not receive a Rule 243(c), SCACR, explanation requested by the enclosed letter. Therefore, enclosed is an order dismissing this matter. In light of this dismissal, no action will be taken on your request for an extension.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosures

cc: Karen Christine Ratigan, Esquire  
Mr. Timothy J. McKinney, #287844



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April 23, 2014

Timothy J. McKinney, #287844  
McCormick Correctional Institution  
386 Redemption Way  
McCormick SC 29899


Re: Timothy J. McKinney v. State  
Appellate Case No. 2014-000371

Dear Petitioner:

This Court has received the notice of appeal in the above post-conviction relief action. Since the order of the circuit court determined that this action is barred as being successive and/or as being untimely under the statute of limitations, Rule 243(c) of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules requires you to provide a written explanation as to why this determination was improper. This explanation must contain sufficient facts, argument and citation to legal authority to show that there is an arguable basis for asserting that the determination by the lower court was improper. The failure to make a sufficient showing may result in the dismissal of this matter.

Please provide the explanation required by Rule 243(c) within twenty (20) days of the date of this letter.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a large, stylized initial 'D' followed by a series of loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

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cc: Karen Christine Ratigan, Esquire