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June 27, 2014

**VIA HAND-DELIVERY**

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

Re: The State v. Tammy Smathers  
Appellate Case No: 2013-000254

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter in the above appeal are due to be served and filed June 27, 2014. However, due to a heavy workload, I am requesting a 30-day extension to file these documents. This is the 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 Appellant of this extension request.

Sincerely,

Mary S. Williams  
Assistant Attorney General  
S.C. Bar No: 76192

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cc: James Whittle, Esquire  
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