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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Supreme Court  
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S.C. Supreme Court

Re: Daydrian J. Rouse v. State of South Carolina  
Appellate Case No. 2013-001269  
Lower Court Case No. 2011-CP-40-1920

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above appeal is due to be served and filed today. I would respectfully request a 30-day extension in which to serve and file this Return.

This extension request is not intended for the purpose of delay, but is necessitated by my heavy workload.

**Please note me as the attorney for all future filings in this case.**

Sincerely,

J. Clayton Mitchell  
Staff Attorney  
S.C. Bar No: 101443

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In compliance with:

*In Re: Extensions in Criminal and Post-Conviction Relief Cases*, (S.C. Sup. Ct. order dated March 18, 2009) (Davis Adv. Sh. No. 13 at 1).

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