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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk, Supreme Court of South Carolina
P.O. Box 11330
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Re: John Kennedy Hughey v. State
Appellate Case Number: 2010-170387

S.C. Supreme Court

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Enclosed please find the original and fifteen (15) copies of Respondent/Petitioner's Reply Brief [REDACTED]. The original is not bound.

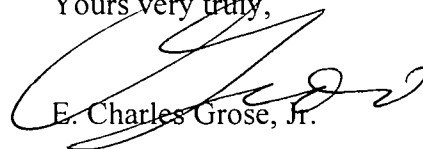
Based on our request, this Court granted us an extension until Monday, October 13, 2014 to file and serve this brief. When we made that request, we overlooked that Monday was Columbus Day and, therefore, a postal holiday. Under these circumstances, we believe that filing and serving the brief today is timely. See Rule 263(a), SCACR. If the Court would like a petition on this matter, please let me know.

By copy of this letter to Mr. Zelenka, I am serving a copy of this brief on the State of South Carolina. The original certificate of service is also enclosed.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With kindest regards, I am

Yours very truly,



E. Charles Grose, Jr.

cc: Donald J. Zelenka, Esquire
Tara Schultz Waters, Esquire