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Via Facsimile and U.S. Mail

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
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Re: The State of South Carolina v. Antonio Emerson Tate  
Case No. 2013-001562

Dear Clerk:

The Initial Reply Brief, if any, of Appellant is due to be served and filed December 20, 2014. Due to my current workload and the impending holiday, I respectfully request a thirty (30) day extension to determine whether a reply brief is necessary and to file same, making any Initial Reply Brief of Appellant due on or before January 16, 2015.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter and please hold the filing time in abeyance during the pendency of this request. By copy of this letter I am notifying Respondent's counsel of this extension request.

Sincerely,

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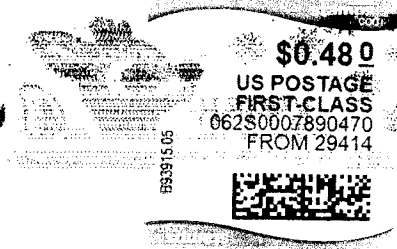
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