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Re: The State vs. Damyon Cotton
Appellate Case No.: 2014-000395

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

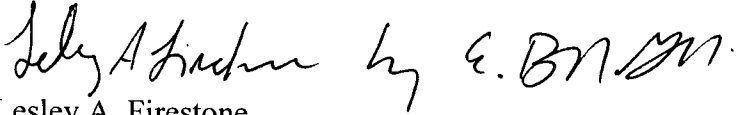
With regard to the above-referenced matter, enclosed please find for filing with the Court, an original and seven (7) copies of a **Motion for Extension of Time to File Brief of Appellant and Proof of Service**, together with our check in the amount of \$25.00 for the filing fee.

Please file the originals and return a date-stamped copy of each to me in the enclosed self-addressed, stamped envelope.

By copy of this letter, I am serving a copy of the foregoing pleading on counsel of record.

Sincerely,

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cc: Salley W. Elliott, Esquire
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MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE BRIEF OF APPELLANT

The Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the above appeal are due to be served and filed January 7, 2015. Due to my current heavy case load and upcoming deadlines, I am requesting a 30-day extension to file these documents. This is the second extension request in this case, and it is not intended for the purpose of delay.

By the undersigned's calculations, the extension, if granted, would extend the deadline for filing the Initial Brief and Designation of Matter to Friday, February 6, 2015.

The undersigned further requests that the time for filing be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this request.

Respectfully submitted,



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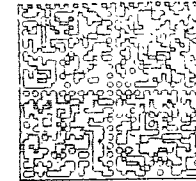
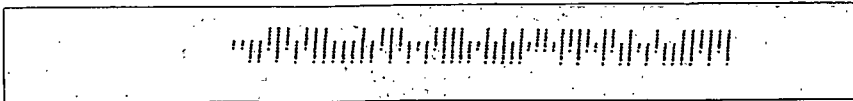
I certify that I have served the Motion for Extension of Time to File Brief of Appellant by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on December 23, 2014, addressed to attorneys for the Respondent, Alan McCrory Wilson and Salley W. Elliott, State of South Carolina, Office of the Attorney General, PO Box 11549, Columbia, SC 29211.

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