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APPEAL FROM OCONEE COUNTY  
Court of General Sessions

**SC Court of Appeals**

Rivers Lawton McIntosh, Circuit Court Judge

Appellate Case No.: 2013-001895

The State ..... Respondent

v.

James Richard Bartee, Jr. .... Appellant

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE THE  
REPLY BRIEF TO THE INITIAL BRIEF OF RESPONDENT**

COMES NOW, Jack B. Swerling, attorney for the Appellant, requesting an extension in which to file the Reply Brief to the Initial Brief of Respondent.

Counsel will be out of the Country on vacation from March 4, 2015 through March 29, 2015. Counsel would respectfully request a thirty (30) day extension to file the Reply Brief to the Initial Brief of Respondent, which is currently due on March 2, 2015.

Counsel's paralegal, Kellie A. Switzer, has consulted with William M. Blich, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, and he has no objection and consents to the request by counsel.

WHEREFORE, counsel prays the Court will grant a thirty (30) day extension to file the Reply to the Initial Brief of Respondent. This would give a new deadline of April 1, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,



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I, Kellie A. Switzer, certify that I have served the Motion for Extension to file the Reply Brief to the Initial Brief of Respondent, by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on February 27, 2015, addressed to:

William M. Blitch, Jr., Assistant Attorney General  
Office of the South Carolina Attorney General  
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The Honorable Tonya Abbott Kitchings  
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RE: The State v. James Richard Bartee, Jr.  
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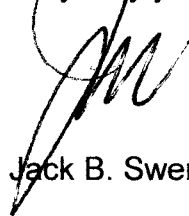
Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing are the original and six (6) copies of the Motion for Extension to File the Reply Brief to the Initial Brief of Respondent, along with the Proof of Service, in the above referenced matter. It would be greatly appreciated if you would date stamp the extra copy and return it to me in the enclosed envelope.

By copy of this letter, I am serving William M. Blich, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, with a copy of same by mail.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,



Jack B. Swerling

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Enclosures

cc: William M. Blich, Jr., Assistant Attorney General  
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